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TRYING TO CHECK THE ALIEN FLOOD

Coming Session of Congress to See Renewal of Contest Over Bill to Restrict Immigration.

HOUSE STANDS IN WAY.

Effort Will Be Made to Restore Educational Test and Perhaps Increase the Head Tax.

BY RAYMOND.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—While the appropriations committees of the two houses of congress are working away over the supply bills to run the government for another year a conference committee representing the two houses will begin a series of sessions which may last for weeks and which are certain to emphasize widely different views on the immigration question.

For years it has been the dream of executive officers to secure some practical restriction upon the tide of immigration into this country from the more undesirable classes in southeastern Europe. One president after another has recommended legislation of this character and bills frequently have been passed, but in each case the vital features have been stricken out of them owing to the timidity of some members of congress and to the strong foreign affiliations of others.

The present immigration bill was passed by the senate, and when it came over to the house that body struck out all of the senate bill except the enacting clause and substituted a new measure, turned down its own committee, eliminated the educational clause entirely, left the head tax as it is at present, and provided for the creation of one of those useless commissions which are forever digging into governmental subjects and which seldom if ever develop anything at all in proportion to their cost.

See Peril in Illiteracy.

The whole purpose of the bill passed by the senate was to cut down immigration from southern Italy, Russia, and Austria-Hungary without in any way designating those countries in contravention of the favored nation clause in the usual treaties. When the students of the immigration problem were enabled to get their statistics together they discovered that the south Italians, Poles, Slovaks, and Russian Hebrews were not only extremely poor but generally were deficient in education. There is no test of the illiteracy of the arriving immigrants which is at all accurate. The existing law does not compel the immigrant to show whether or not he can read or write. A record is kept at the immigration station, but it is based entirely upon the unsupported statements of the immigrants themselves. Many of them have been warned in regard to this question and insist that they can read or write in English or in some obscure dialect, because they think in that way their chances for admission into this country will be brighter.

Taking their own statements, however, which are, of course, far within the truth, it is found that 56 per cent of the south Italians, 46 per cent of the Poles, 25 per cent of the Slovaks, and 23 per cent of the Hebrews are wholly illiterate. Making allowance for obvious inaccuracy of these statistics, it is probable that 75 per cent of the south Italians would be classed as illiterate on an official test, and the Hebrews, if Yiddish dialect were eliminated, would be found to be largely if not entirely illiterate according to modern standards. The significance of these figures is shown when one compares them with the fact that out of every 100 Germans there are only four who cannot read or write, only three Irish, and only one English and Scandinavian.

Coming in a Flood.

Many years ago immigration officers learned with alarm that there had begun a great racial movement from southeastern Europe to the United States. The German Hebrews were driven out of their country by religious and governmental persecutions. They could not find a congenial home in Hungary, or in any minor principalities on the southwestern border of Russia. It was entirely natural that they should drift to England and the United States, and they chose the latter direction in spite of the increased distance, on account, presumably, of the better chances in this country for a despairingly poor man to earn his living.

Before the Jews began to come in large numbers, however, the south Italians started by tens of thousands for America. They were an agricultural people, but they have never gone into farming in this country to any large extent. They are good laborers and they find ready employment in the large cities, railroad camps, and last, and most numerously of all, in the coal mines of Pennsylvania and West Virginia. They have filled the tenement districts in New York and Boston and a quarter of a million or so of them are being dumped into this country every year.

Coming of the Slovaks.

After the Italian and Jewish wave had become fairly set toward this country there was a further movement of the Slovak people. The Danubian provinces began to disgorge. The Cunard people found it possible to run steamers from Triest, and the Mediterranean steerage trade has within the last few years risen to extraordinary proportions. The immigration from southeastern Europe, which used to chose to take the German steamers, now comes almost exclusively by the direct line.

Taking the figures as compiled for the year ending June 30, 1905, it will be seen that there were 275,602 immigrants from Austria-Hungary, 221,478 from Italy, and 184,897 from Russia. The total immigration was 1,026,499. Of these, therefore, no less than 681,940 came from southeastern Europe and represented what may be called the illiterate races. On examinations of the immigrants themselves, it is figured out that 239,069 were unable to read or write. It is the opinion of immigration officers that if a rigid test were to be enacted it would be found that not less than 400,000, and probably more, would be classed as illiterates.

It does not follow that a man who cannot read and write is not a good addition to any country, provided he be of good moral character and has a certain amount of physical capacity for work. Other things being equal, however, he is not as good a man as his neighbor who can read.

Need of Educational Test.

The idea of an illiteracy test has been to bar out those undesirable immigrants from the southeast of Europe, not only because they were ignorant but because they are not easily

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EXTRA.

4:30 A. M.

KILLED IN WEDDING RIOT.

ONE MAN KILLED, ANOTHER DYING, IN REVOLVER FIGHT.

Two Hundred Guests Ordered Out of Saloon at Western Avenue and West Twenty-fourth Street at 1 O'Clock This Morning—Attack and Beat Several Policemen—Then Shooting Begins—John Janis Found Dead and Frank Cliff Wounded.

One man was found dead and another dying in a vacant lot early this morning after a riot among 200 wedding guests in front of the saloon of Frank Kominsky, at Western avenue and West Twenty-fourth street.

The dead man is John Janis, 28 years old, said to live near the saloon. Frank Cliff, Western avenue and Seventeenth street, was unconscious when found and he was taken to the county hospital. It is said he will die.

The fight started when the wedding guests were ordered out of the saloon at 1 o'clock. It is said they attacked and severely beat several policemen. Many shots were exchanged and it is not known by whose revolver the injured men were struck. Friends of the saloonkeeper said a policeman fired the shot that killed Janis. Ten persons were arrested.

SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1906.

THE WEATHER—

FORECAST—Fair Thursday, followed by increasing cloudiness in afternoon or night and showers before Friday morning, rising temperature, fresh southerly winds.

Sunrise, 6:57; sunset, 4:21. Moonset, 5:25 a. m.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

Temperature, max. 39, min. 34, mean 36, normal for the day 39. Excess since Jan. 1, 907.

Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 0. Deficiency since Jan. 1, 3.86 inches.

Wind, N. W., max. 26 miles an hour, at 8:15 a. m.

Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 70%, 7 p. m. 60%.

Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 30.40, 7 p. m. 30.53.

LARGEST 2 CENT CIRCULATION IN THE WORLD.

TELEPHONE CENTRAL 100.

WASHINGTON.

Congress to renew struggle over bill to restrict immigration from southwestern Europe by applying educational test; house of representatives stands in the way. Page 1.

Secretary Wilson in annual report declared agricultural wealth increasing at phenomenal rate. Page 10.

DOMESTIC.

Gov. Deneen made demand for $3,000,000 on Illinois Central for money due state on charter agreement; committee appointed and began work. Page 1.

Two United States senators of Wyoming and Land Commissioner Richards dragged into Union Pacific coal land scandal. Page 1.

Enrico Caruso cheered by big throng at opera; few hisses drowned out by applause. Page 1.

Dr. Crapsey in letter of farewell to flock he has led for twenty-eight years said going was greatest sorrow of his life. Page 3.

Mayor Schmitz arrested at Truckee, Cal., as soon as train crossed state line. Page 3.

Charge that Lou Payn, former superintendent of insurance, received $40,000 bribe from Mutual Reserve made at Burnham trial. Page 4.

Woman who in Standard Oil office last Friday threatened to kill John D. Rockefeller sent to Bellevue hospital as incurably insane. Page 5.

FOREIGN.

Discovery of papyri by British explorers in Egypt proves valuable; vellum leaf of gospel and sections of classical literature found. Page 1.

Three hundred persons killed and injured, factory blown to atoms, and town laid in ruins by explosion of roburit in Germany. Page 3.

LOCAL.

People going home Thanksgiving eve packed Union Traction cars like human sardines. Page 1.

Municipal court judges adopted stringent rules for accepting bail bonds and for preventing taking of defendants to distant courts. Page 2.

Board of improvements voted to adopt Halsted street widening scheme. Page 3.

United States attorney's office to be reorganized and strengthened in order to handle many anti-trust cases started by government. Page 5.

A. F. Hatch, pioneer lawyer, died after violent illness. Page 5.

Sir Thomas Lipton entered saddle horse in stock show. Page 11.

High school fraternity boys went into court asking for injunction to check school board's efforts to wipe out secret societies. Page 13.

Army of 8,000 newsboys partook of annual Thanksgiving dinner given to them by Woolf's Clothing company. Page 13.

NEW YORK.

Reform spelling turned down by board of education by vote of 22 to 4. Page 4

District Attorney Jerome reported to be after big politician suspected of exacting tribute from gamblers. Page 4.

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Nose finishes feature of racing at New Orleans; defeat of Sir Toddington big upset. Colloquy being winner. Page 14.

Boston National league baseball club transferred and $200,000 mortgage was given. Page 14.

Season's bowling record broken by Lipmans with team score of 1,178. Page 14.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
BOSTON		Pretorian.
BOSTON		Devonian.
HONGKONG	Coptic	
HONGKONG		Athenian.
LIVERPOOL		Celtic.
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NEW YORK	Oceanic	
NEW YORK	Italia	

DENEEN DEMANDS $3,000,000 OF I. C.

Governor Presents Claim of State to Directors at a Meeting in New York Office.

IS CONSIDERED AT ONCE.

Committee Appointed and Goes Into Session Immediately; Big Fight in Courts May Result.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

New York, Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Gov. Deneen had the floor for more than an hour today at the meeting of the Illinois Central directors. When he had finished reading a voluminous typewritten report the directors had on their hands a demand for more than $3,000,000, which, it is charged, they owe the state under the "compensation clause" of the Illinois Central's charter. The governor not only made this demand for the payment of back compensation but he asked for a reform in the company's methods of accounting.

"The present system," he said, "is unjust, unfair, works to the benefit of the company, and is detrimental to the state."

When the directors had heard the governor through they appointed a committee to busy itself with the claim. The committee consists of E. H. Harriman, President Harahan, John W. Auchincloss, Cornelius Vanderbilt, John Jacob Astor, and Walter Luttgen. It probably will seek to compromise, and, failing in this, will let the state collect what it can in the courts.

Committee at Work Immediately.

The committee immediately went to work. Gov. Deneen caught a train for home in an endeavor to connect with a Thanksgiving dinner at the executive mansion in Springfield tomorrow afternoon. The members of the committee informed him before he went that they hoped to give him an answer within a week.

"We are ready to pay every cent we owe," said Harriman, "but not a cent we don't owe."

Gov. Deneen presented eighteen separate claims to the company, each standing on its own footing, and each carrying a specific demand for payment to cover back obligations. They aggregated something more than originally, for the governor had given them a boost in the last few days. Some of the charges were as follows:

That the company has invested some of its earnings in stocks and securities, withdrawing this amount from the earnings on which dividends have been paid, and that the state has not received its 7 per cent compensation on the amount thus invested.

Freight Earnings Distributed.

That the company has distributed its freight earnings between its charter and subsidiary lines in such way as to reduce the amount on which it is obliged to pay 7 per cent compensation and to increase the amount exempt from such taxation.

That the company has not charged rental against some of its subsidiary lines using the charter lines' terminals.

That the company has not entered as a part of its earnings the mileage books which it issues in payment for advertisement. This is one of the smaller claims, but the state asks a repayment of $23,000 on this score alone on the ground that the issuance of a mileage book in payment for advertising really is the sale of the book at 2 cents a mile.

Of all the claims the principal one, so far as the amount involved is concerned, is that relating to the distribution of earnings between the 707 miles of the charter lines and the remainder of the system. It is the aim of the state not only to secure payment for what is said to be due on past operation but to determine a method which will guarantee

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VALUABLE FIND OF PAPYRI.

Britons Uncover 130 Boxes in Egyptian Exploration.

VELLUM LEAF OF GOSPEL.

Some Fragments of Manuscript Are Dated Second Century B. C.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Nov. 28.—It now is possible to give further details of the remarkable find of papyri as a result of the efforts of Drs. Grenfell and Hunt of the Greco-Roman branch of the Egypt exploration fund at Oxyrhynchus. The find consists of no fewer than 130 boxes of papyri ranging in date from the second century B. C. to the sixth century A. D. They comprise all classes of literature, many fragments of lost or even unknown classical works and some most important fragments unknown to Christian literature.

The most important find is a vellum leaf containing forty-five lines of gospel which has a variation from the authorized version. The subject is the visit of Jesus and his disciples to the temple of Jerusalem and their meeting there with the Pharisee who rebukes them with their failure to perform the necessary ceremonial of purification. In the dialogue which follows, which resembles in some respects Mathew xxiii., 25, the Pharisee describes with considerable fullness and detail the formalities he has observed, whereupon Jesus deliverers an eloquent, crushing reply, contrasting outward with inward purity.

Tells of Literary Value.

As regards the literary value of the fragment the discoverer makes some interesting remarks. He says:

"Among the most remarkable features of the fragment is its cultivated style, picturesqueness, vigor of phraseology, which includes several words not found in the new testaments, and its display of curious familiarity with the topography of the temple and the Jewish ceremonies of purification. There can be little doubt when the fragment is published, as it shortly will be, that there will be as much controversy among theologians as was provoked by the discovery of 'The Sayings of Jesus' in another mound.

"Other Christian fragments of considerable value were found, including a vellum leaf of the fourth or fifth century of the lost Greek original of the Acts of St. Peter, which are known only in Latin, and a leaf of papyrus of an unknown version of the Acts of St. John.

Finds in Classical Literature.

"The finds in the section of classical literature are most important. The first is a papyrus containing no fewer than thirteen columns of over sixty lines of Paeans of Pindar in good preservation and portions of several more columns.

"Next in importance is a roll containing about a hundred lines of the tragedy of 'Hippolytus' of Euripides and many fragments of Plato, the speech of Demosthenes against Boetus, and some of the manuscript fragments of the poems of Sappho. Mention also should be made of an unknown history of Greece, which differs in many respects from that of Xenophone."

It will take a long time to unroll, join, and examine this important find, all of which has been removed to England, but the explorers are to be congratulated on their brilliant harvest of literature.

WEDS TO KEEP FEET WARM.

Octogenarian, Accused by Bride Aged 30, Retorts Hotly—Then They Kiss and Make Up.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Although 81 years old, John Davenport, charged by his 30 year old wife today with assault and battery, declared that he only married her to keep his feet warm. The case ended in their kissing each other and being reconciled.

It was during the woman's testimony of how her husband neglected her that he interrupted with the exclamation:

"Well, I only married her to keep my feet warm."

CARS ARE PACKED; NOBODY'S CONCERN

Union Traction Receivers Are Quiescent Over the Crisis in Chicago's Transportation.

CASE OF HUMAN SARDINES

Judge Grosscup Away and John M. Harlan, "People's Representative," Has No Remedy.

It was the homegoing hour of Thanksgiving eve in Chicago. At the street corners where the ambling, antiquated cars stopped men and women surged and jostled and fought with each other to crowd into the vehicles already overburdened with compressed humanity.

With the seats supporting solid banks of passengers and every strap dangling its human burden, experienced and long hardened street car users pressed into the aisles in such masses that the strap hangers were enabled to unhook themselves and thenceforth ride stably and comfortably supported by surrounding walls of human flesh.

Others packed the front and rear platforms to the last available inch on the lowest step, and those who came thereafter were obliged to mount the rear fender and the coupling beam, the capacity of which is from three to five persons. In some instances the roofs of the cars afforded foothold for passengers, who otherwise would have been left behind to walk and pay no fare.

All Look Alike to Conductor.

Thus proceeded the joyous procession of the Thanksgiving homegoers to the accompaniment of the fare register's pleasing tinkle. The cars bumped onward, halting now and then to squeeze out some drop or two of humanity and absorb others in their places. But throughout the exhibition was nothing if not democratic. All persons were free to scramble for the seats and standing and hanging room, and all persons able to pay fare were equal in the sight of the conductor, though at every nickel garnered the fare register was seen to wink its eye.

These conditions were observed by reporters for THE TRIBUNE to be general on the north and west sides and in the downtown district, where the Chicago Union Traction company, "its heirs and assigns," supplies the surface transportation facilities.

At all the corners of the north and west side loops scenes of the kind described were observed between the hours of 5 and 6. Many North Clark street and Lincoln avenue cars were crowded before they began to traverse the loop and when they left it for the north side run they were so many grotesque packing boxes transporting human forms.

Eckels Says It's Crowd's Fault.

While the common people were thus engaged on their holiday eve the gentlemen who direct the Union Traction company sat in their comfortable offices speculating upon the vanities of the democratic mob.

"The trouble is with human nature," sighed James H. Eckels, receiver for the company, its heirs, and assigns. "When a car stops the whole crowd tries to get on that car. If some of them would only wait for the next car there wouldn't be any overcrowding."

Mr. Eckels said that more cars wouldn't relieve the situation, because Chicago is growing too fast for any street car company to keep pace with it. He couldn't see any relief short of a subway.

Mr. Eckels was asked if he would accompany a reporter on a personal inspection of conditions in the rush hour.

"I can't do it today," he replied. "I'm too busy. But I know what the conditions are. The loop is overcrowded and congested, but I don't see what can be done in the way

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TWO U. S. SENATORS ACCUSED

Warren and Clark of Wyoming Dragged Into Coal Land Case.

HIGH OFFICIALS INVOLVED.

Commissioner Richards Charged with Suppressing Evidence.

Salt Lake, Utah, Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Flat charges, dragging the names of United States Senators Warren and Clark and United States Land Commissioner Richards into the Union Pacific and Rio Grande coal land scandal, were sworn to before the interstate commerce commission here today. George F. Pollock, chief of division B of the interior department, is also included. The charges were sworn to by Michael A. Myendorff, a special agent of the government.

Myendorff in an affidavit accuses the Wyoming senators of trying to induce him to give up the investigation.

He charges that Land Commissioner Richards suppressed evidence against the Union Pacific.

He accuses George F. Pollock of instructing him to destroy four affidavits he had secured against the Union Pacific coal company.

His Work Is Hampered.

After reciting his connection with the land office as a special agent, Myendorff, in his affidavit, goes on to say:

"Among the agents in Colorado was N. J. O'Brien, who likewise was stationed at Denver and who nominally came under my direction and control. I soon learned that Mr. O'Brien was a Wyoming man, and that Mr. O'Brien was at one time the commissioner's colleague in the service of the state of Wyoming and a personal friend of the commissioner, and that Mr. O'Brien was in frequent and confidential correspondence with Mr. Macy, chief clerk of the general land office.

"I also learned that Mr. O'Brien corresponded with Francis E. Warren, United States senator for Wyoming. I also soon discovered that Mr. O'Brien's opinion guided the opinions of the commissioner's office in matters relating to the work in the state of Colorado.

"Mr. O'Brien made repeated requests to turn these investigations over to him. His efforts were strenuous. The efforts employed are illustrated by the fact that Mr. O'Brien informed me that upon the result of this coal land investigation depended the election of United States Senator Clark of Wyoming. Mr. O'Brien further informed me that Senator Warren was much interested in the election of Senator Clark."

Threats by Senator Warren.

"I met Senator Warren at the Oxford hotel in Denver some time in June or May, 1904. At that interview Senator Warren made no direct request that I should not prosecute the investigation from personal considerations, but he pointed out the danger of making an enemy of the Union Pacific railroad company in the Wyoming elections and stated that Senator Clark's reelection might be jeopardized if enmity of the Union Pacific railroad company should be incurred.

"About three months after my interview with Senator Warren I was transferred from Denver to Los Angeles, a distance of about 1,200 miles from the state of Wyoming, and away from the seat of my operations. This transfer was made at a time when I had completed all of my arrangements and perfected my details to carry on a rigid investigation in Routt county, Colorado, which would naturally lead me into discovery of the operations in the adjoining state of Wyoming. After my transfer to Los Angeles contemplated reorganization of the special agents of the land offices took place.

Had His Own Letters.

"In October of 1904 I was subpoenaed as witness in the United States District court at Denver. While in Denver on that occasion rumors reached me that some trouble was brewing for me, because of what was denominated my interference in the Wyoming cases. On Dec. 5, 1904, I met Senator Warren at the Hotel Oxford. I told him what I had heard. The senator said he was not interested in any such movement. He told me the general land office would not hurry the Wyoming cases. He then produced from his pocket copies of my letters addressed to Commissioner Richards relative to the Wyoming cases, which I had been investigating.

"It was on the occasion of my trip to Washington between Dec. 5 and 15, 1904, that I saw G. F. Pollock, chief of division 'B,' and asked him what to do with the affidavits containing information about those coal land frauds, and he then told me either to send the affidavits to him or to destroy them."

Myendorff's affidavit alleges that on one occasion seventy-seven men were taken into offices in the Union station at Denver, before W. I. Gifford, agent of the Union Pacific, and signed their names to powers of attorney, relinquishments, and affidavits which were used to acquire title to coal lands in Wyoming. Some of these men, it is asserted, signed fictitious names. The men who signed received $4 each for their trouble.

Some Land Office Methods.

Percy S. Sowers, another special agent of the general land office, told of his efforts to get the department to take up fraud cases in Utah. He began in 1903 to submit evidence against the Utah Fuel company and Pleasant Valley Coal company and their officials, especially Robert Forrester, geologist for the companies. He asked the department to authorize him to go ahead with these cases and procure the indictment of Forrester and others. His communications on the subject either received no replies or evasive answers.

Sowers kept on uncovering evidence against the coal companies, and after an especial spell of activity in 1905, Commissioner Richards asked him to resign. He succeeded in getting reinstated, but the uncovering of more evidence on coal frauds resulted in his suspension without pay.

No Immunity Baths.

Geologist Forrester was present, and E. M. Allison Jr., attorney for the Rio Grande road and for the two companies in question, asked that he be allowed to testify. Commissioner Clark refused to grant him immunity, and he would not take the stand.

Mr. Allison caused something of a scare by saying that the chairman of the interstate commerce commission wanted H. G. Williams, general manager of the Utah Fuel company, to be allowed to testify. This statement was challenged. Mr. Allison then declared that the chairman, Mr. Knapp, had telephoned from Washington to one of the officials of the Utah Fuel company in New York to have Mr. Williams at session to testify. Commissioner Clark declined to give him immunity or a chance to take the stand.

Five witnesses testified that they had acted as "dummy" locators to enable the Wyoming and Utah coal companies to get claims, receiving small sums for the use of their names. Adjournment was taken until Friday morning.

CARUSO TRIUMPHS AND IS INSPIRED.

Tenor Repays Audience for Enthusiastic Tribute with Wonderful Exhibition of Art.

HIS TEARS SPUR FRIENDS.

Packed House Roars Welcome in Which All Women Join; Sembrich Proves His Friend in Need.

New York, Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Before Enrico Caruso, the most celebrated tenor in the world, had a chance to exhibit his high priced voice to one of the greatest audiences ever gathered in the Metropolitan Opera house tonight an object was hurled through the air and landed at his feet. As he turned to view it with the murmur of confusing sound ringing in his ears his figure trembled. In his overwrought and nerve-racked condition he did not know what to expect—an overripe lemon or a bouquet of roses—but as his eyes lighted on it tears of gratitude rolled down his cheeks.

The object was a fine cluster of American beauty roses thrown with unerring aim by an admirer in the crowded topmost gallery.

An instant later Caruso heard distinctly the cheers of approval and knew he had been absolved from offense—at least by the lovers of music, by the world he knows best, whose verdict he had awaited with fear and hope.

His Vindication Pronounced.

His vindication was sharp, instant, and pronounced. He repaid it with a spontaneous flow of tears, born of tense emotions, and by an exhibition of his art so brilliant as to inspire a tremendous ovation.

The tribute to the tenor, legally pronounced guilty of a most serious offense, was of unmistakable approval and in refutation of the accusations of the police. It broke forth the instant the curtain rose, delaying the movement of the splendidly colored episode of the Latin quarter of the Paris of a century ago, manifested itself with the last of his glorious notes of "I am, I am, I am a poet," and ended in so great a tumult at the close of the act that the tenor was recalled nine times.

He acted like a man who had been freed from some great load of care during the one brief half hour of the act.

Mme. Sembrich His Friend in Need.

Incidentally Enrico Caruso contracted a debt of gratitude which he will find it difficult to repay to his fellow-artists and to Mme. Marcella Sembrich in particular. It was mainly due to the tact and finesse of that great artist that Caruso was cajoled into confronting alone the audience and inviting its commendation or condemnation. With such consummate skill did Mme. Sembrich manage the incident that it was not until Caruso found himself alone on the great stage that he realized the importance of it to himself.

Mme. Sembrich and he had bowed their acknowledgments of the applause eight times. During the last three he clutched the sleeve of her gown as might a small child, fearful of the goblins in the dark. Thrice his kindly protector had essayed to leave him alone on the stage; as many times he defeated her purpose.

But even as they came on in obedience to the last summons, Mme. Sembrich, with a merry laugh, stepped aside, and Caruso stood alone in his seedy garb and saw through a haze of grateful tears long lines of men and women in evening dress, stretching outward and upward from pit to top gallery, waving of dainty handkerchiefs, heard the pounding of sticks, the clapping of hands and the murmur of his own name coupled with terms of approval.

Legion of Compatriots There.

Caruso's compatriots thronged the lobby before 7 o'clock, and swarmed a block from and up Broadway. Many of them were unable to obtain admission, for the management strictly enforced the rule which limits the standers to 500 on the ground floor.

There were 300 more of the tenor's compatriots in the rear of the gallery, and they were his friends to a man. There was the same harmony on the part of the women, who were uncommonly numerous among the standers.

There was every kind of rumor to arouse the interest of the audience. A rival impresario was to send his Italian chorus to indicate their displeasure to any signs of cordiality on the part of the house. An Italian singing society with 100 members was coming to the opera to hiss down the friends of the singer. Two hundred Pinkerton men were to be present and arrest any spectator who made the least disturbance contrary to the manifest sympathies of the audience.

Curtain Rises to Roar of Cheers.

All the rumors sent the vast audience to the theater on time and in a mood of tense curiosity. The beginning of the opera was delayed a quarter of an hour, and it was 8:17 when Sig. Vigna took his place in the director's chair. The parterre boxes, which are usually empty until 9 o'clock, were nearly half filled when the overture began.

The short prelude ended and the curtain parted, showing Sig. Caruso, as usual, standing at the back of the stage. He was obviously nervous, and his shoulders moved up and down as the roar of applause began. It spread throughout the house.

Most of the noise was, as usual, made in the upper part of the theater and downstairs at the rear of the parquet. From the aerial heights of the galleries there floated down a few stentorian cries of "bravo." The occupants of the parterre and the subscribers' boxes sat in silent reserve.

The clamor continued until Sig. Vigna tapped on his desk and the music ceased. Before turning to face the audience, Sig. Caruso wiped his eyes with his hands. As he reached the front of the stage he bowed. The applause seemed to grow even louder and the tenor bowed three times. Then he went back to the rear of the stage. Sig. Vigna lifted his baton and the prelude began again.

Scattering Hisses Drowned.

Sig. Caruso's voice was trembling when he began to sing. He had recovered his nerve, however, when he reached his aria in the scene with Mme. Sembrich, which is described as the "Racconto." He tells of his experience as a poor poet while she sits on a chair listening.

It was when he finished the first half of the song that the only hisses of the evening were heard. Some of his friends tried to interrupt with applause, and the rest of the audience hissed them into silence, as they are often compelled to do on other occasions.

When he finished the aria the applause that rewarded him was even greater than that he heard when the curtain rose. Now the occupants of the boxes as well as the

"GEE, WE'RE THANKFUL 'CAUSE CHRIS'MAS IS SO NEAR."

parquet let loose their applause without reserve.

Women in the parterre boxes showed their approval with a freedom they rarely exhibit, handkerchiefs waved in the orchestra, and the standers gave expression to such outbursts as "viva, Caruso," and "viva Italia." The tenor acknowledged the applause with a bow and finished the duet with Mme. Sembrich.

Clings Like Child to Sembrich.

The audience recalled Signor Caruso and Mme. Sembrich four times. Then the prima donna began to rebel and the tenor dragged her out with a force which made the audience wince sympathetically as he tugged at her wrists. Three times more he forced her to appear with him. Then he came out alone and there was more racket.

As he stepped back from the open curtain Sig. Caruso was seen to stagger. He fell into the arms of Frand Rigo, the stage manager, and burst into tears. With Rigo and Sig. Paroli, the tenor staggered into his dressing room.

"I had to have that relief," he said in French. "I had to cry."

Herr Conried came to his dressing room. The tenor fell on his shoulder.

"I told you so," was all that the impresario, who still walked with a cane, had to say.

Fellow Artists Show Loyalty.

"I want to express my great thanks to Mme. Sembrich," Sig. Caruso said to the group in the dressing room, "for her fine spirit of camaraderie in sharing this ordeal with me. She showed great courage herself, and she gave me great courage."

Mme. Sembrich's husband then came to the singer's dressing room to inquire after the tenor's condition. There was a greater evidence of the loyalty of his comrades in store for the singer. Mr. Conried presented a round robin which he had requested the artists to sign. It read as follows:

We, the undersigned, members of the Conried Metropolitan Opera company, have learned with amazement and indignation the news of your condemnation for an alleged misdemeanor.

Feeling confident of your absolute innocence of the offense imputed to you, we wish to assure you of our unshaken devotion and esteem. We do not for a moment doubt that the wrong which we believe he have been done you will be fully and swiftly righted and that your character will in the eyes of the whole world be vindicated.

Our regard and respect for you, both as a man and as an artist, remain unchanged, and we feel it our duty, no less than our pleasure, to assure you now, in your hour of trial, of our heartfelt sympathy.

All the artists in the company at present in New York had put their names to these sentiments.

There was only one change in the opera. Sig. Caruso omitted the usual action of the first act, when he and Mme. Sembrich search for the key lost on the floor.

'HANNAH GRAHAM' TELLS STORY

Woman Who Said Caruso Annoyed Her Gives Details and Explains Her Disappearance.

New York, Nov. 28.—[Special.]—The woman who under the name of Mrs. Hannah Graham complained that Caruso had annoyed her in the monkey house at Central Park on Nov. 16 and then failed to appear against him in court, proves to have been Mrs. Hannah Stanhope, wife of an amateur baseball player. Mrs. Stanhope formerly was governess in the family of Leonard Bronner, a lawyer, living at 257 West Seventieth street.

Bronner first learned that his former governess was the woman in the case when her husband, Adam Stanhope, called on him Tuesday night and told him about it. Stanhope said that his wife gave her maiden name of Graham because she dreaded notoriety, and then failed to appear in court because she said Capt. Stephenson of Arsenal station told her Policeman Kane had Caruso "right."

Mrs. Stanhope gave out a long story about the whole occurrence, and is quoted as saying she had Mr. Bronner's little son with her that day. Lawyer Bronner said this is untrue. The woman said she first felt Caruso's elbow pressing against her shoulders. She walked away from him. Later she found him standing at her side and felt his knuckles rubbing against her. She said she screamed and Policeman Kane came up and arrested Caruso. She had never seen the policeman before, she said.

Tells Why She Disappeared.

When asked why she did not write a letter to Magistrate Baker during the police court hearing, Mrs. Stanhope replied:

"I was afraid. After I told my husband, he acted like a madman. He wanted to go to the Hotel Savoy and punch the tenor. Gus Meehan, his friend, had a hard time holding him in check, but both Mr. and Mrs. Meehan finaly persuaded him to let the court punish Caruso."

Former Judge Dittenhoefer, Caruso's counsel, said, after he heard the woman's story, that inasmuch as she had refused to appear in court to testify under oath he didn't think any credence should be given to her unsworn statements to a newspaper. Police Commissioner Bingham, after reading the story, said:

"I shall investigate the matter thoroughly."

Deputy Commissioner Mathot's charge that a bishop, a priest, several ministers, attorneys, artists, and musicians have been caught annoying women in city parks is likely to cost him his job. It is reported around the city hall and police headquarters that he will be given an opportunity to resign.

VASE 1,000 YEARS OLD FOR MRS. POTTER PALMER.

Chicago Woman Pays $5,000 for a Piece of Rare Porcelain from the Royal Palace.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Before her departure with her party last night for the Grand cañon and Chicago, Mrs. Potter Palmer purchased for $5,000 in Pasadena an antique porcelain vase from the royal palace at Peking, a piece of Chinese ware so old and so rare that the date of its manufacture is known only by surmise to have been something more than a thousand years ago.

The vase is known as Black Hawthorne. It is about two feet high and of a design known to connoisseurs as the Wai Tai. It is extremely plain, being entirely black and with hardly any decoration.

Its value rests on its antiquity, and in the fact it was one of the art treasures of the royal palace, whence it is supposed to have been taken in the days of the boxer uprising.

HER MODESTY COST HER $106.

Philadelphia Woman Loses Money Rather than Pull Up Her Stocking in the Street.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Everybody in the City of Brotherly Love is discussing the problem in ethics involved in the sad adventure of Miss Maria H. Carmack of 1007 Mount Vernon street, who lost $106 because she thought it would be wrong to stop in the street and "hitch" up her stocking.

"I realize now," she said today, "that I should have stopped and pulled up my stocking. It was false modesty that kept me from it. I'll never carry money in my stocking again, nor put faith in an elastic garter."

So saying she sighed. The money which dropped from Miss Carmack's stocking had been drawn by her from the bank to buy Christmas presents.

SKI RUN FOR HUMBOLDT PARK.

Chicago Board Recognizes Norway's Winter Sport and Big Toboggan Slide Will Be Erected.

The first official recognition in Chicago of Norway's national winter sport will be made this winter, when the west park board will erect a huge toboggan in Humboldt park for the benefit of ski runners.

Supt. Jens Jensen of the west parks yesterday began work on plans for the toboggan, which he plans to have completed in January.

The toboggan probably will be built on the hill at the north end of the lagoon in Humboldt park.

BAR STRAW BOND FROM NEW COURT

Judges Meet and Adopt Stringent Rules for Police Accepting Surety.

FIRST SESSION SATURDAY

It Will Be Held in Old Cahokia Courthouse on Wooded Island, Jackson Park.

Two important actions were taken last night by the Municipal judges who will take over the work of the old justices of the peace and police magistrates next Monday morning.

One action—aimed at reducing crime in Chicago through the adoption of stringent rules governing the taking of bail bonds—was thrashed out at a meeting in Judge Edward Dicker's office in the Tacoma building, which lasted until midnight. Rules were adopted which are intended to drive the straw bondsmen out of business.

The other step was the adoption of a rule requiring violations of city ordinances in the First district to be prosecuted downtown. This is intended to eliminate all possibility of that feature of the old justice shop law which dragged defendants long distances to look after their suits.

At the same time an entire set of rules of procedure was adopted by the judges. It consists of twenty rules covering every practical angle of the work of the new courts.

First Session in Ancient House.

The session was attended in the afternoon by Miss Valentine Smith, a member of the Chicago Historical society, who obtained the consent of the justices to assembling the new court for the first time at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the old Cahokia courthouse, the oldest court building in the Mississippi valley, which was recently brought intact from southern Illinois and erected on Wooded Island in Jackson park under the supervision of Miss Smith. Judge Orrin N. Carter of the Illinois Supreme court will deliver at that time the judges' commissions and the occasion will be an historical and patriotic event.

New Rules on Bail Bonds.

The bail bond action was the feature of the new rules. The judges expressed themselves as dissatisfied with the law in that particular and said they would ask to have it amended.

"The old system of bond giving by irresponsible persons has been responsible for a great deal of crime in Chicago," said Chief Justice Olson. "We have got to clean Chicago of crime if we can and we are going to start in this way. Upon investigation I have discovered that of the bonds taken in the past by fifty justices 75 per cent have been no good. This new law gives more than 500 policemen the right to take bonds, but we have tried to safeguard their right. The law should be changed."

The order adopted regarding bonds reads as follows:

"Any chief of police, captain, lieutenant, or sergeant taking bail from any person or persons, before accepting the surety offered as a bondsman shall cause such surety to answer in writing and under oath questions as to name, residence, business, and as to ownership of real estate, where situated, giving both the legal description and street, its value, etc., etc.

Further Restrictions.

The following restrictions are added:

"No bond shall be taken from a person charged with a misdemeanor by any chief of police, captain, lieutenant, or sergeant, unless the value of the real estate scheduled shall be worth double the amount of the bond required after deducting from the fair value all incumbrance on said property, the value of the homestead, dower rights, and all other indebtedness of said surety.

"No chief, captain, lieutenant, or sergeant shall accept any surety or take any bond unless he from the questions and answers is satisfied that judgment on a forfeiture can be collected."

Trial of Cases Downtown.

The other important feature of the rules concerning the trial of cases downtown is as follows:

"All suits for violations of the city ordinances begun by summons in the first district shall be filed in the main office of the clerk of the court, at 22 Fifth avenue.

"All cases for violations of the city ordinances in which a warrant shall issue in the first instance may be begun in the branch court in the first district nearest the residence of the defendant in the said cases."

Another rule requires:

"Judges assigned to hear criminal and quasi-criminal business shall open court at 9 o'clock a. m., except for the trial of cases in which a jury is required, and for the trial of these cases, and the transaction of civil business, the courts shall open at 9:30 a. m."

The other rules cover the order in which cases shall be tried and the time for hearing suits and work of the clerks and bailiffs.

The chief justice will make the assignment of the judges tomorrow, also making public the exact location of all the new criminal and civil court rooms. The justices will retain jurisdiction until midnight Saturday. They are winding up their civil business preparatory to closing tomorrow. Justice Caverly closed his civil court yesterday with six appeals.

SCHOOLBOY STABS PLAYMATE IN FIGHT OVER LEAD PENCIL.

Lee Stratley, 8 Years Old, Near Death —Henry Politzie Is Under Arrest— Bitter Feeling Aroused.

Bitter feeling may result among the parents of children attending the Jenner school, Oak street and Milton avenue, because of a fight between two of the pupils after school yesterday, in which one was probably fatally injured.

Claiming the ownership of a lead pencil held by Lee Stratley, 8 years old, Henry Politzie, 10 years old, a companion, attacked Stratley and stabbed him three times in the chest and once in the neck. Stratley is at the Passavant hospital, and it is said he will die. Politzie is locked up at the Chicago avenue station.

Politzie lives at 46 Oak street and Stratley's home is at 92 Townsend street. Parents of Stratley told the police they would seek revenge if their son's injuries ended in death. Friends of the Stratley family gave expression to their feelings in the same way.

BONI PINES FOR U. S. STAGE.

Count Is Willing to Appear in This Country for 40 Weeks at $2,000 Per, but Bars Vaudeville.

New York, Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Lew Fields, actor-manager, today made public a letter from C. Maase, New York manager for H. B. Marinelli, a Parisian vaudeville promoter, in which it is declared Count Boni de Castellane is looking for a theatrical engagement in America. Maase says Boni does not desire a vaudeville appearance, as he prefers a rôle that will allow of his being an artist rather than an attraction. Fields said the count would expect $2,000 a week for forty weeks.

Scotch Pioneer Is Honored.

More than seventy-five members of Scotch societies of the city gathered at the Great Northern hotel last night and presented to William Gardner a gold and silver punch bowl, a volume of poems, and an autograph memento, and to Mrs. Gardner a silver tea set and candelabra. Mr. Gardner is one of the oldest and best known Scotch citizens of Chicago, and has been treasurer of the Burns Memorial association since its organization and a president of the St. Andrew's society.

CARS ARE PACKED; NOBODY'S CONCERN

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of relief at present. The franchise question must be settled first."

Sampsell Blames the Press.

The other receiver of the company, Marshall E. Sampsell, was found in his office in the Federal building. He was asked if he was sufficiently interested to make a tour of the loop district during the rush hour.

"I can't do it today," he said. "I see the reports every day and know just how bad the crowding is. But we're doing the best we can. We have 100 new cars being built for us."

Mr. Sampsell said the reason the cars weren't built long ago is that the receivers couldn't raise the money with which to purchase them. And they couldn't raise the money, he said, because all the newspapers were "knocking" the receivership and the service.

Receiver Sampsell having delivered himself of these opinions walked over to the Northwestern depot, thus avoiding a crowded and snail like car, and took a suburban train to his home at Highland Park.

Judge Grosscup Far Away.

Judge Grosscup, who is the legal protector of the Union Traction company, does not permit his holidays to be marred by the street car troubles of the common throng. He closed his court on Tuesday and departed from the city for a Thanksgiving vacation from which he will not return till next week.

In the hope still of finding some official connected with the Union Traction receivership who would take some interest in the ordinary problems of transportation over its lines THE TRIBUNE sought out John M. Harlan, whom Judge Grosscup appointed a special receivership counsel, "representing the interests of the people."

"Would you be willing to inspect the actual conditions of overcrowding this evening?" Mr. Harlan was asked.

"Ah," smiled Mr. Harlan, "there is nothing I would like better if I didn't have so much business on hand. Now it is a curious fact—"

Mr. Harlan went on to say that he supposed there was overcrowding, but that he was sure the company was doing the best it could with the equipment it possessed. He said he wasn't an operating man, and therefore he would not pretend to suggest remedies for the conditions.

"The company certainly is not profiting by overcrowding, and I assume that it is doing all it can to carry the people with the cars it has. Every effort is being made to reach a settlement providing for a rehabilitation of the properties, and at this time I think that the people ought to do their share and bear with the company until this end can be attained," concluded the representative of the people.

In other directions the most democratic city on earth had no relief to offer its citizens.

What Is Overcrowding, Anyway?

"What is overcrowding?" demanded Police Chief John M. Collins, who was ordered by the city council to prevent the undue crowding of cars. "Where is there any law that shows what overcrowding is?"

Assistant Corporation Counsel Hoyne searched the ordinances, but could find no law supplying the exact definition of overcrowding. The chief decided he could do nothing. He would have to prove in court whether a car was overcrowded or merely crowded.

"The present ordinance is ineffective because it does not give a specific method for telling when a car is overcrowded," said Mr. Hoyne. "A policeman on one corner might let a car go by, considering that it was not overcrowded, while another policeman a block further down the street would stop the car because his opinion was the other way. There should be definite rules as to the number of people in excess of the seating capacity to be allowed to ride. I do not think the formal opinion will be ready until Friday and I have small hopes that it will sustain the present ordinance as effective.

"If some alderman next Monday night takes it upon himself to introduce an emergency measure in the council, a speedy authority for the police may be obtained."

"We shall have to pass a law before we can enforce it," said Mayor Dunne. "An ordinance is now before the city council transportation committee providing that the number of passengers on a car be restricted to 50 per cent more than the seating capacity.

"It is deplorable this overcrowding, but I don't see what we can do at present. I remember that I once rode on the rear coupling beam of a street car."

Doty Has His Own Troubles.

Dr. M. F. Doty, the mayor's superintendent of transportation, finds his difficulties in too much law.

"It's disheartening trying to make the street car companies run clean, comfortable cars and plenty of them and without overcrowding. I try to enforce the clean car law. To do this I have to prosecute the company on a separate charge for each car, with the particular witnesses to the conditions in each car. I have filed several thousand of these suits.

"Each suit takes a day for trial. The company invariably calls for a jury, and its lawyers take half a day examining veniremen. A jury secured about noon it takes twenty minutes to put in the evidence. Then it takes ten minutes for the city lawyer to sum up the case, and the rest of the afternoon for the company's lawyers to argue. They cite decisions all the way from Magna Charta to the latest justice court opinion, and just about supper time they let the case go to the jury.

"Invariably the jurors want to get home to supper, and if there is one of them who declares he will stick out all night for the company the rest of them cave in, give the company the verdict, and start for home. And that's only one case. The company can afford to worry the city along at that rate."

"The limit of comfort in crowding passengers into cars is one and a half times the number provided for by the seating capacity," continued Dr. Doty. "The limit of decency is to put in twice the number provided for by the seating capacity."

Beyond Power of Police.

A good many students of street conditions are of the opinion that Chief Collins' policemen would effect little if they should be turned loose on the prevention of crowding. The crossing police are notoriously unable to enforce the ordinary rules of the road. Teamsters have no respect for them, and may be seen at any time cutting across the line of traffic and blocking street cars with impunity. The new mounted police are rarely seen in the loop district, and since they were detailed to duty they have wrought no reforms in the chaotic conditions of team traffic.

At Washington and Clark streets, at Randolph and Clark streets, at Lake and La Salle streets, and at other important corners reporters for THE TRIBUNE noted that in the rush hour last night the crossing police made no attempt whatever to keep wagons off the street car tracks. Strings of cars crept along at a snail's pace behind lines of trucks and wagons that would have had plenty of room in the roadway alongside the tracks. Similar conditions prevail every morning at the State, Clark, and Wells street bridges.

Object to "Buffalo Airships."

Patrons of the West Division street line of the Union Traction company are preparing to protest against the action of the company of taking all the modern cars off the line and substituting a lot of antiquated cars which are a danger to life and limb.

Many angry protests were heard on the cars during the rush hour, and several women passengers were slightly injured in boarding them as a result of the high, inconvenient steps, with which they are unfamiliar. The cars are said to be part of a lot of old junk bought by the company from a Buffalo traction company. They are at least one foot higher than any street cars previously seen in Chicago, and the residents along the line have dubbed them the "Buffalo airships."

The cars also are of the most antiquated pattern, with the old fashioned side benches for seats, and they can be boarded only from the rear end. Patrons declare that, in case of a serious accident, this will be a great handicap to passengers wishing to get out in a hurry.

DENEEN DEMANDS $3,000,000 OF I. C.

Presents Claim of State to Directors at Meeting in New York.

IS CONSIDERED AT ONCE.

Committee Appointed and Goes Into Session Immediately; Big Fight Possible.

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to the state an equal distribution in the future.

Gov. Deneen Outlines Remedy.

Gov. Deneen outlined the proposed method in some detail, specifying points between which the rate shall be fixed per mile and between which it shall be fixed per rate. In this proposed plan it is suggested that on all hauls entirely within this state it shall be fixed per mile.

The gist of the dispute between the state and the company may be given roughly in one illustration:

Freight shipped from Chicago to New Orleans goes south over the charter line to Cairo. If Cairo were its ultimate destination the company would be required to pay the state 7 per cent of the money it received from the shipper. From Cairo to New Orleans the road, of course, is exempt from the charter tax.

The rate to Cairo and the rate to New Orleans differ materially even in proportion to the distance. The longer haul gets the lower proportionate rate. Now the question is as to what amount of this freight earning shall be credited to the charter line and what shall be exempt from the special tax.

Road Gives Itself Benefit.

The road has given itself the benefit in this method of making the distribution, and in this particular instance the governor insists that the earnings on which the special tax is paid shall be computed on a rate per mile basis.

With regard to the investment dispute the company asserts that the income on which it does not pay dividends shall be exempt from the special tax. The charter requires the compensation to be paid on the gross earnings of the road.

An effort is being made to carry through the negotiations with as little publicity as possible.

In the matters of rentals it is charged that the company allows some of its subsidiary lines to use its Chicago terminals rent free. For this the state asserts that they should pay.

Gov. Deneen handed out his side of the case in well prepared chunks and covered a great deal of ground owing to the thoroughness with which the state officials and employes had prepared the statement.

Committee Through with Deneen.

When he had finished the directors, with the exception of Stuyvesant Fish, J. D. W. Cutting, and Astor, went to lunch in the directors' dining room at 11 Broadway, after which the committee got to work on the statement, a copy of which was in the hands of Attorney J. M. Dickinson of the Chicago office. The governor asked if they wished him to stay for any further consideration of the matter, but they said they did not. During the afternoon they heard Attorney Dickinson explain his view on the points raised in the governor's statement.

If their decision be to contest the claims the state will begin suit at once and Gov. Deneen will issue a statement covering the various claims broadly. A specific and detailed statement will be incorporated in a special message to the legislature in January.

The investigation thus far has cost the state $30,000. Work still is being done on the passenger end of the business. The investigation thus far has concerned itself mainly with the freight end.

May Probe Suburban Traffic.

In the passenger inquiry it is possible that the suburban end of the company's operations may be involved. The charge that the suburban receipts were not included in the gross receipts on which compensation is paid was the ground for an attempt at an investigation by the legislature two years ago. It was charged then, also, that the company was illegally holding the coal lands. But this is outside the scope of the present inquiry.

There has been a disposition on the part of the present management to blame Stuyvesant Fish, former president, for the troubles in which the company finds itself with the state. Fish was present at the meeting today, but everything passed off in a harmonious manner. If Harriman holds him responsible for the nonpayment of compensation, he did not communicate this opinion to him.

Probably Will Admit Some Claims.

It is probable that the committee will find some things in the claim which it will agree constitute just demands. It is also probable that other claims will be fought. Whether or not a compromise can be effected on a basis of give and take remains to be seen.

Still, it will not surprise any of the state officials if the directors elect to fight. Preparations are being made for such an outcome.

Attorney General Stead has kept pace with the investigation step by step, and W. H. Boys, head of the railroad and warehouse commission, has acted as special attorney in the inquiry.

If the directors seek to make a settlement out of court the special committee, or part of it, will make a trip to Springfield, where several days will be devoted to going over the claim in detail.

COFFEE SLAVES

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"After my marriage I still used coffee and steadily grew worse. About 8 years ago my father who had been at a sanitarium where they used Postum food coffee, spoke so often and in such glowing terms of it, my husband and I decided to try it. I have been gradually but surely cured by its use and never felt so well in my life.

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TRYING TO CHECK THE ALIEN FLOOD

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assimilated, because they crowd together in large cities, and because they seem to be assisted to come here in one way or another in such way as to drive our own men out of employment, or at least to reduce and keep down wages.

Years ago an immigration bill was passed by congress containing an educational test, which was based exactly on this theory of excluding undesirable immigrants. It was vetoed by President Cleveland, however, only two days before the inauguration of Mr. McKinley. Since then it has been impossible to apply any such test. The senate immigration bill, which was pushed with particular vigor by Senators Dillingham and Lodge, contained the provision that no immigrant arriving in this country should be admitted unless he could read in English, or some other language. This test was particularly favored by President Roosevelt, so there was a certainty that the bill if passed would not be met by an executive veto. The house committee, however, altered the phraseology of the senate bill, but it still retained the provision for a simple educational test. This was bitterly fought by a number of the members of the house of foreign parentage or descent, and the house finally turned down the committee, eliminated the educational test entirely, and substituted for it a provision for a commission proposed by Grosvenor of Ohio, who has a rare scent in the direction of supernumerary government boards and junketing contrivances.

Talk of a Head Tax.

Under the existing law every immigrant who enters the United States is required to pay a head tax of $2. This provides the fund out of which are defrayed all the expenses of the immigration bureau and stations at the different important seaports.

It was proposed in the senate bill to raise this head tax to $5. It was admitted that the money was not needed in the immigration service, and there was a provision that the surplus should be turned into the treasury.

The house committee adopted the senate provision for an increased head tax, but the house itself, in view of the approaching elections, eliminated this section with even less ceremony than was devoted to the educational test.

The principal thing for the conferees to take into consideration, therefore, would be the question of the head tax and the educational test. According to the view of most of those who have been advacating a radical restriction of immigration from southeastern Europe, it will not be worth while passing any new law unless the educational feature is retained. There may be a question in regard to the head tax, because the increase would bear heavily upon many desirable immigrants who ought not to be compelled to pay for keeping out their undesirable neighbors.

President Roosevelt will use all his influence in congress to induce the house to recede from its position and permit the application of a mild educational test in the case of all immigrants applying for admission into this country.

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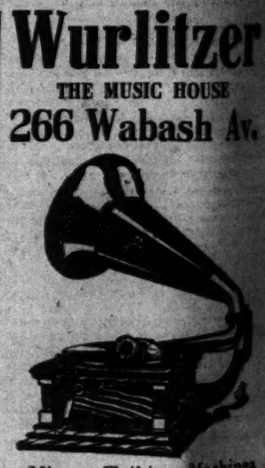

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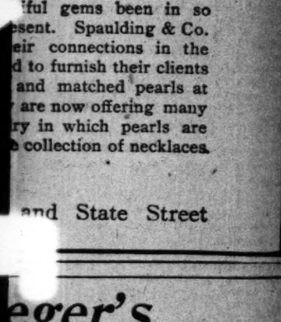

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SEEKS SHARE OF MILLIONS

WALLETTA MAY YEAGLE SUES LATE COL. CLINE'S EXECUTORS.

Chairman Gary of Steel Trust and Frank J. Loesch, Head of Chicago Bar Association, Are Charged with Participation in Remarkable Real Estate Dealings — 14 Year Old Claimant Alleges She Was Robbed of Part of Uncle's Fortune.

Walletta May Yeagle, 14 years old, a country maid from Lincoln, Ill., has set her self against E. H. Gary, president of the United States Steel corporation, and Frank J. Loesch, president of the Chicago Bar association, in a fight over a $3,000,000 estate.

The fight is for a large slice of the estate of her uncle, the eccentric Col. George T. Cline, who died three years ago. In a bill of complaint filed by Attorney William Ritchie in the Circuit court yesterday afternoon the girl calls into question the acts of the president of the steel trust as well as those of the new president of the bar association in connection with the sale of Col. Cline's property, upon a part of which the steel corporation's city, Gary, Ind., now is situated.

Based on Late Col. Cline's Will.

The little Miss Yeagle's story dates from the time Col. Cline died, June 8, 1903, a recluse and a hermit, living in one room of the 100 room hotel of which he was the owner—the Woodbine of Englewood. The rest of the hotel was vacant at the time.

At that time it was not known that Col. Cline had any great amount of property. His will, however, showed that he owned real estate, some of which he had held from the early days in the history of Chicago, amounting to $3,000,000 or more.

Edwin A. Warfield, Aquilla R. Yeagle, and George T. Cline, a nephew of the old man, all of whom are named as defendants, were appointed executors. One-fourth of the estate was left to Mary L. Yeagle, sister of Col. Cline and grandmother of Walletta May, the present litigant, with the proviso that should she die before receiving her share, it should go to her heirs, regardless of any will she might make. Mrs. Cline did die shortly after this, the bill recites, and it is out of this fact that most of the trouble has grown.

It is declared that neither the Yeagle girl or her guardian, Louis C. Schwerdtferger, was notified of the death of Col. Cline or the provisions of the will.

Attorney "Represented" the Girl.

When proceedings began in the Probate court here it is charged that Attorney Loesch, who represented the executors, arranged with Frank S. Marx, another attorney, to represent himself as the attorney for Miss Yeagle, although he had no authority whatever from the girl.

This, it is said, Marx did, telling the judge that the girl waived the service of summons and acquiesced in the wishes of the executors to the sale of the property upon which Gary now is situated.

Next come the charges against Attorney Loesch regarding the sale of seventy-two acres of the Indiana land to the Pennsylvania railroad for $72,254. This land, the Yeagle girl's attorney declares, was worth at least twice this sum. Attorney Loesch for ten years has been counsel for the Pennsylvania.

President Gary of the steel trust is brought into the case in the recital of a second purchase of land. The bill relates that William T. Smith was sent to New York to see Mr. Gary and offer part of the Indiana land for sale. Mr. Gary wrote to the executors and told them to throw over Smith, suggesting his own land agent, one Knott, as a likely man to carry out the plan.

Following this it is declared that in April, 1906, the executors threw over Smith, and, using Knott as their agent—he also being Gary's agent—sold 1,172 acres of the choicest land to the steel trust at less than $420 an acre. This land, it is charged in the bill, was worth more than $1,000 an acre, or a total of $1,172,000, and brought only $489,390.

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"As far as any charges of dishonesty or double dealing are concerned, the bill is a mass of lies," said Mr. Loesch. "The executors have acted honestly and have divided the money among the beneficiaries as fast as it could be realized on the property.

"Regarding the sale of land to the Pennsylvania railroad, we got $400 an acre more than was being paid for land on all sides of the property sold. The charges regarding Mr. Gary's action in the other deal are false. I had nothing to do with the appointment of Attorney Marx as counsel for the girl. He acted only in an insignificant affair anyway."

ARREST SCHMITZ ON TRAIN

DEPUTIES TAKE FRISCO MAYOR INTO CUSTODY AT TRUCKEE.

Abe Ruef One of the First to Greet Indicted Executive as the Cars Pull Up at First Station Across the Line, Three Hours Delayed—Party Gets Into Golden Gate City Too Late to Permit of Elaborate Reception Which Had Been Planned.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Mayor Schmitz was arrested this afternoon on the train which was bearing him to San Francisco as soon as the train reached Truckee, just over the line from Nevada. The train was so late that the great reception planned for the mayor had to be abandoned.

Abe Ruef accompanied Deputy Sheriff Harry Knox to Truckee in order to be present when the warrant for the mayor's arrest was served. With them was Myrtile Cerf, Ruef's henchman, who had been sworn in as a deputy sheriff for the occasion. All three left San Francisco last night.

Late Train Spoils Reception.

The mayor's train was due at Truckee at 10 o'clock this morning, but it was three hours late. This was a great disappointment to Ruef, who had made arrangements with the Southern Pacific for a whirlwind trip through the Sierras and into San Francisco, so as to bring the mayor into the city in time for a monster demonstration by the workingmen.

There were other things calculated to try the patience of the "boss." In the first place, he received word at Truckee that it was raining heavily at San Francisco and that Market street was a sea of mud. Even if the train arrived early enough he was told the parade in the rain and the mud would be a dismal and disheartening affair.

Omen? Or Just a Frost?

Then, to crown all, it was snowing at Truckee, and the weather was exceedingly cold. Ruef and the two deputies put in their time while waiting for the delayed train walking up and down the main street of Truckee. At one time Ruef said to a reporter:

"You can say that as Mayor Schmitz entered California he was greeted by a fall of beautiful white snow, emblematic of purity and his own innocence, or you can say that his homecoming was a frost, and it is a mighty chilly one at that."

When the train finally arrived Ruef was the first to board it. He found Mayor and Mrs. Schmitz in a drawing room. Deputy Sheriff Knox entered and handed the mayor the warrant. It was not read. The mayor did not emerge from the drawing room until the train reached Oakland at 10 o'clock tonight. He remained in earnest consultation with Ruef all the way across the state.

No Indictments Returned.

There was much disappointment in Judge Murasky's courtroom today when the grand jury failed to bring in an indictment, as the judge waited three hours on Assistant District Attorney Heney's promise that several indictments would be returned. The grand jury was in session all day and took up the Belvidere music hall and disorderly house cases, as well as some crooked transactions of the supervisors.

Much testimony was presented, enough for several indictments for bribery and perjury, but for some reason Attorney Heney decided not to make public the indictments, although it is believed the jury found several before it adjourned until Friday.

Many persons were counting on seeing Mayor Schmitz and Abe Ruef indicted again for the Belvidere and brothel house graft on the day of the mayor's arrest, but they were disappointed.

Trolley Graft Inquiry Delayed.

It is given out tonight by a representative of Secret Service Agent Burns that Supervisor W. W. Sanderson will be the star witness for the prosecution and that his revelations in regard to the trolley franchise graft will secure the indictment not only of Schmitz and Ruef, but the entire board of supervisors. Sanderson left here several days ago and has been in Los Angeles trying to recuperate, as he is in poor physical condition. He has now gone to Arizona and will not be brought back till he is in good shape for testifying before the grand jury.

Seattle Distrusts Abe Ruef.

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High Explosive Lets Go Suddenly in Factory and Kills and Maims Scores—Building Is Utterly Wiped Out and Village Laid in Ruins—Work of Rescue Carried On with Extreme Risk Owing to Possibility of Further Explosions.

DORTMUND, Germany, Nov. 29.—A roburit factory, situated close to the town of Annen, seven miles southwest of here, blew up yesterday evening and was wiped from the face of the earth. It is estimated that 300 persons were killed or wounded, but the exact number has not been ascertained.

Up to half past 1 o'clock this morning eight dead bodies had been recovered, and eighty severely wounded had been conveyed to hospitals.

The work of rescue now going on is attended with the greatest danger from the possibility of a renewal of the explosions.

The accident occurred at about half past eight o'clock. There were two tremendous detonations, heard throughout the entire surrounding industrial region, which is thickly settled. The inhabitants of the neighborhood fled in panic, fearing further explosions.

The town of Annen is nothing more than a heap of ruins. Houses were shattered right and left, and no house escaped injury.

Roburit is an explosive of high power, composed of saltpeter, ammonia, sulphur, and other ingredients. It is not easily exploded by a blow, and it can be burned with safety in the open air. Its power is second to that of dynamite.

BIG SCANDAL IN RUSSIA OVER FAMINE RELIEF FUND.

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ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 28.—The recent exposure of gross irregularities in the matter of the disbursement of government relief in the famine stricken provinces, coming as it does at a time when harrowing descriptions of the sufferings of the starving are reaching St. Petersburg, is threatening to result in a big scandal which may involve a member of the cabinet.

The Novoe Vremya has taken the lead in the agitation, and with great indignation it hurls the reproach that the funds for relief voted by parliament have been misused. Blameworthy negligence and delay have been exhibited, the paper charges, while the lives of many thousands were in peril.

The affair developed into a sensation of the highest order when it was reported that the council of ministers which met today had summoned Assistant Minister of the Interior Gurko and demanded an explanation of how the relief fund had been expended. M. Gurko, it is said, refused to reply and retorted that he would explain only to the emperor. The rumor that M. Gurko had been forced to resign was denied tonight by the official information bureau, but the belief is current that he will be driven from his post.

The citizens' relief committee has addressed an appeal to Mrs. Russell Sage to come to the aid of the famine sufferers.

NEW DIRIGIBLE WAR BALLOON PROVES A SUCCESS IN FRANCE.

Lebaudy's Design, Accepted by Government, Tested by Officers—Flight Lasts One and One-Half Hours.

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From London to Alps in 16 Hours.

LONDON, Nov. 28.—Two aeronauts, Percival Spencer and Leslie Bucknall, who started from Wandsworth, a suburb of London, yesterday afternoon in a balloon, the Vivienne IV., landed at daybreak at Vevey, on Lake Geneva, Switzerland, accomplishing the notable journey of 420 miles in 16 hours. The balloon has a capacity of 75,000 feet of gas.

Santos Dumont Has New Bird.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]
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CABINET OUT OWING TO MOOR.

Action of Spanish Ministry Causes Surprise—Dread of Complications Grows.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

MADRID, Nov. 28.—The resignation of the cabinet today caused surprise. It at first was believed the religious associations law was answerable, but later the impression grew that the ministers disagreed over the treatment of Morocco. Some wanted immediately to land troops in that country to enforce order at Tangier and its neighborhood, where Raisuli is reported to be still fighting the Kabyle and Angherra tribesmen, and where in any case lawlessness is acute. The others were opposed to such action as imprudent and as likely to have fatal consequences for Spain. Popular dread of entangled big operations continues. The shadow of Germany in the background is widely regarded as darkening the whole Morroccan question.

SLEEP WALKING

Dangerous habit overcome by changing food.

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The causes of sleep walking are various, but the sleep walker always has a disturbed nervous system.

Often improper food, by causing indigestion and thereby poisoning the nerves through the stomach, is a cause of this trouble.

"My daughter for five years was troubled with indigestion which resulted in extreme nervousness," writes an Ind. mother. "She would eat heartily of meat, vegetables and pastry for a time, and then become sluggish, lose her appetite, and get so nervous she could not attend to her school work.

"On such occasions the family doctor would call and by giving her medicine would fix her up for a while, only to have the old trouble come back in three or four weeks.

"She would walk in her sleep sometimes when her nerves were greatly disturbed by indigestion.

"For breakfast we usually had some kind of cereal and for a change got some Grape-Nuts. We all took to the new food, my daughter became so very fond of it she often made her breakfast on Grape-Nuts, exclusive of anything else—sometimes also for lunch.

"We soon noticed a marked change in her nerves, she ceased to walk in her sleep and had no trouble with her stomach. We were confident the Grape-Nuts had brought the happy change, and continued to use it so that now after more than a year she is a rosy, robust girl full of animation, strong and well." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. "There's a reason."

CRAPSEY'S GOOD-BY MESSAGE OF GRIEF

Pastor Who Renounced Ministry Says "Greatest Sorrow of Life" Is Upon Him.

BLAMES CHURCH HEADS.

Farewell Letter to Flock He Has Led for 28 Years Avows Loyalty to Belief.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 28.—The Rev. Dr. Crapsey, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal church, who denounced the ministry rather than retract his views on the nativity of Christ, today issued a farewell address to his congregation, saying in part:

"I have this day tendered to the wardens and vestrymen of our parish my resignation as rector of St. Andrew's church. This action, bringing to an end as it does the relationship of pastor and people which has existed between us for nearly twenty-eight years, was not voluntary on my part, nor was it brought about by any desire on the part of our vestry or yourselves. I have been compelled to take this step by the fact that our ecclesiastical superiors have in effect dismissed me from my office. They do not consider that I any longer have the ability to rightly divine the word of truth, nor the wisdom to instruct you in the way of salvation.

"And I am sorry to say that our ecclesiastical superiors have as little confidence in your intelligence as in mine; they do not think that you have the capacity to separate the wheat from the chaff in my preaching, nor are you, in the estimation of these gentlemen, able to search the scriptures and determine for yourselves whether what I say is true or not.

Greatest Sorrow of His Life.

"Whether this reflection of our superior's upon my intelligence and upon yours is well founded is not for me to say; I only know that it is effectual in bringing upon me the greatest sorrow of my life. Having lived so long in your service, I had hoped to die in that service.

"For more than a quarter of a century I have stood in this pulpit and have spoken to you the words of this life, and you will bear me witness that I have not shunned to declare unto you the whole counsel of God as that counsel has been revealed to my intelligence and my conscience. I have often spoken unwisely, so far as your earthly comfort and mine is concerned, but I have never spoken untruly.

"I have never spoken against my inward conviction nor have I held back, for prudential reasons, things which I considered it my duty to say. And it is for speaking thus unwisely, so far as my comfort and yours is concerned, but, as I still think, for speaking what is true and timely, I am to be deprived of the right of speaking in this pulpit at all, and after next Sunday shall never speak from this place again.

Ban Does Not Fall on Laymen.

"So much for the things that are behind; now what of the things that lie before? Because I am compelled to leave the pastorate of St. Andrew's, must you also forsake its membership? I do not believe it. While it is my duty to go forth, not knowing whither I go, it is your duty to abide in your place.

"And even if you hold, as many of you do, the same conception of truth for which I am condemned and dismissed, your right to remain in the church is unassailable. You have not simply my word for this, you have the word of the bishop of the diocese."

PULAJANE DESPERADO SLAIN AND 20 OF HIS BAND WOUNDED.

Volunteers Kill Pedro de la Cruz After a Desperate Fight in Samar—Chief Long Believed Invulnerable.

MANILA, Nov. 28.—Gov. Curry of the Island of Samar reports a desperate fight between Pulajanes and volunteers near Albalate on Monday. Pedro de la Cruz, an outlaw chief, was killed and twenty of his followers were wounded. The remainder of Cruz's band were dispersed.

Cruz was second in command of the Samar bandits. He was recognized as a desperate character and had been fighting since 1896. He refused to surrender to the Americans. His followers believed him invulnerable.

Gov. Curry says the end of outlawry in Samar is near.

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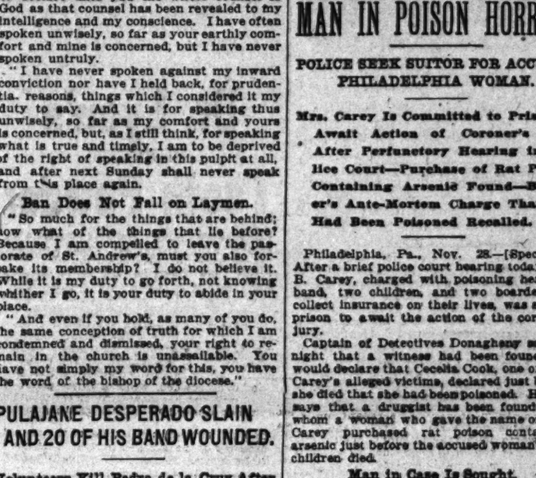

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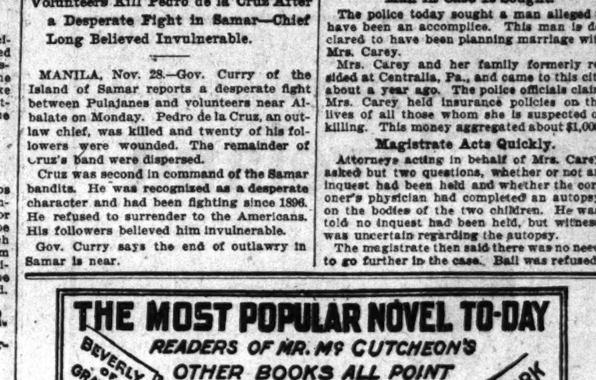

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MAN IN POISON HORROR?

POLICE SEEK SUITOR FOR ACCUSED PHILADELPHIA WOMAN.

Mrs. Carey Is Committed to Prison to Await Action of Coroner's Jury After Perfunctory Hearing in Police Court—Purchase of Rat Poison Containing Arsenic Found—Boarder's Ante-Mortem Charge That She Had Been Poisoned Recalled.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—After a brief police court hearing today Mrs. B. Carey, charged with poisoning her husband, two children, and two boarders, to collect insurance on their lives, was sent to prison to await the action of the coroner's jury.

Captain of Detectives Donaghany said tonight that a witness had been found who would declare that Cecelia Cook, one of Mrs. Carey's alleged victims, declared just before she died that she had been poisoned. He also says that a druggist has been found from whom a woman who gave the name of Mrs. Carey purchased rat poison containing arsenic just before the accused woman's two children died.

Man in Case Is Sought.

The police today sought a man alleged to have been an accomplice. This man is declared to have been planning marriage with Mrs. Carey.

Mrs. Carey and her family formerly resided at Centralia, Pa., and came to this city about a year ago. The police officials claim Mrs. Carey held insurance policies on the lives of all those whom she is suspected of killing. This money aggregated about $1,000.

Magistrate Acts Quickly.

Attorneys acting in behalf of Mrs. Carey asked but two questions, whether or not an inquest had been held and whether the coroner's physician had completed an autopsy on the bodies of the two children. He was told no inquest had been held, but witness was uncertain regarding the autopsy.

The magistrate then said there was no need to go further in the case. Bail was refused.

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REFORM SPELLING IS KNOCKED OUT.

New York School Board Overwhelmingly Against the Simplified Style.

PROBE GAMBLING GRAFT.

Jerome Said to Be After Big Politician for Taking Money for Protection.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE.
New York, Nov. 28.

Simplified spelling had few advocates in the board of education today. It voted that the new style, which

Reform Spelling Knocked Out by Education Board.

Supt. Wm. H. Maxwell had recommended, should not be introduced into the public schools.

An adverse report by the committee on studies was made to the board. Chairman Jonas said that in his opinion no form of words should be used in the schools except such as had secured a standing from established usage.

"We have had a public hearing, and the committee is not favorably impressed by the arguments advanced in behalf of the new spelling," he said.

The chief of these advocates was Brander Matthews.

The motion to disapprove the new spelling was carried by 32 to 4.

After "The" Allen, whose residence on Eighth street was raided by District Attorney Jerome last Tuesday,

Politician Said to Be Taking Tribute from Gamblers.

Albert H. Falk, who has been "The's" representative for years, were examined in the district attorney's office today. It was said that Jerome had received information which, if it could be substantiated, would make a strong case against a politician of receiving tribute from gamblers for protection. "An inspector will be considered small potatoes if this man is landed," is the way it was put. Neither Jerome nor Assistant Murphy, who is making the gambling investigation, would say anything about it.

Col. William D. Mann of Town Topics is to be tried for perjury Dec. 12 before Recorder Goff at general sessions. The date was fixed today on motion of Assistant District Attorney Garvan, who will prosecute Col. Mann. The perjury charge grew out of the trial of Norman Hapgood for criminal libel on complaint of Justice Deuel of special sessions. Col. Mann swore he never put the initials "O. K. W. D. M." on a letter to Moses E. Wooster from Count Reginald Ward, putting Count Ward on the Town Topics free list. Two hundred talesmen have been talked for by Mann's counsel.

Town Topics Mann to Answer Perjury Charge Dec. 12.

Commander Robert E. Peary, civil engineer of the United States navy, who made an unsuccessful effort to find the north pole, but got farther north than any other aspirant for arctic glory, arrived this morning from Boston with Mrs. Peary. Simeon Ford received Commander Peary at the Grand Union hotel without cracking a single crystalline joke. The explorer was the guest of the humorist only a few hours, part of which time he gave to a group of interviewers.

Balloons, aeroplanes, automobiles, autoboats, and quickly constructed railroads, Commander Peary declared, probably never would be successful in polar exploration. Whatever is to be accomplished would be through the intelligence and endurance of men and the matchless vigor of Eskimo dogs. As to what he expected to find should he ever get to the pole, Peary said:

Peary Eliminates Autos in Polar Work.

"I believe there will be nothing abnormal there. I should not expect to find an ice cap, an open sea, or a hole in the earth. It seems to me the climate of the pole would be pretty much like that of the surrounding region with ice there."

Commander Peary and his wife went to Washington to have their Thanksgiving dinner with their children.

The sworn statement of John G. Follansbee, treasurer of the Independence league, showed that Thomas R. Gilleran, who has been active in the politics of the league, had contributed $10,000 to its campaign fund. This has caused considerable curiosity since the statement was filed with the secretary of state at Albany, because Mr. Gilleran has not been rated as a capitalist. When asked about the contribution today Mr. Gilleran said:

Mystery in $10,000 Gift to Campaign.

"I raised that money myself among my friends and gave it to the Independence league as treasurer. None but my personal friends contributed."

"Did Mr. Hearst contribute to this fund?" Mr. Gilleran was asked.

"I never got a dollar from Mr. Hearst during all the campaign," was the reply.

Under the amended election law partly devised to prevent secret subscriptions by corporations or by candidates for judgeships, for instance, Mr. Gilleran may be compelled to tell the names of the persons contributing.

One fireman was killed and a dozen were severely beaten in a desperate row in the stoke hole of the Mallory line steamer San Jacinto as the vessel was rounding Cape Hatteras en route from Galveston on Monday night. By wireless from off Atlantic City Capt. Evans notified police headquarters in New York.

Steamer Firemen Battle to Death in Stoking Hole.

Emanuel Conchero, a Cuban, is held for killing Pietro Molaera, who died in an hour after he had been struck repeatedly over the head with a shovel. Five others were arrested.

It was only at the point of their guns that Capt. Evans and another ship's officer subdued the fighters and rescued Molaera from his assailants. Conchero was then also unconscious from a blow on the head.

The ship's officers say that none of the thirty firemen would disclose what the row was about. It seems it first arose between Conchero and Molaera over the passing of coal.

Among the passengers on the liner Finance from Panama, which arrived today, were Mrs. Theodore P. Shonts, wife of the chairman of the canal commission, and her two daughters, Misses Theodora and Margaret Shonts. They have been on the isthmus for about six weeks with Chairman Shonts, who is due from Panama on Saturday.

Miss Shonts Not to Wed Duke, She Herself Declares.

Before leaving for Washington Miss Theodora had this to say with reference to a printed report of her engagement to the duc de Chaulnes:

"It is all perfectly absurd. We are acquainted with the duke's family, and I am specially fond of his sister, but there is no truth to this engagement rumor."

ANOTHER INSULT TO UNIFORM.

Sailor from Cruiser St. Louis Refused Permission to Skate in a Philadelphia Rink.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Because, he says, he was refused the privilege of skating on the floor of the Second Regiment Armory Skating rink, R. G. Neese, master at arms on board the cruiser St. Louis, has complained to President Roosevelt. Neese says he was admitted to the building but was not allowed to skate. The manager of the rink declares an unalterable rule of the establishment bars all persons in uniform from the skating floor.

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District Attorney in Burnham Trial Resurrects Charge Once Denied.

FIRST DEMANDS $100,000.

Lawyer Gives Mutual Reserve President as His Authority for Bribe Payment.

New York, Nov. 28.—[Special.]—There was a recrudescence of the old insurance scandal at today's session of the trial of George Burnham Jr., counsel for the Mutual Reserve Insurance company, for larceny of $7,500, when District Attorney Nott charged that Lou F. Payn, former insurance superintendent, demanded $100,000 and received $40,000 from the Mutual Reserve under threat of exposing the insolvency of the company. The $40,000 was paid, it was charged, by Frederick A. Burnham, president of the company, in order that the company might be allowed to draw up its own report.

J. Douglas Wells, one of the officers in the company, testified that he went to Europe in 1897 with his wife on business for the company, and the company was to pay the expenses of himself and wife. Wells put in a bill for $7,500 and was paid.

Then Assistant District Attorney Nott asked him about a conversation he had with Frederick A. Burnham soon after that. This conversation Mr. Rand, counsel for the defense, objected to, and Justice Greenbaum said he would exclude the jury and hear argument on its admissibility.

Mr. Nott said that President Burnham told Wells that he needed money, that Lou Payn had demanded $100,000 for a favorable report on the company's condition, as the insurance department had investigated the company and found it insolvent. Mr. Burnham also told Mr. Wells, according to Mr. Nott, that he had had many negotiations with Mr. Payn, that Mr. Payn had finally decided to come down to $40,000, which Mr. Burnham paid. Mr. Payn then allowed the company to draw up a report to suit itself, and the draft of the report was shown by Mr. Burnham to Mr. Wells.

Justice Greenbaum did not see the relevancy of the matter to the case on trial, and ruled out the evidence.

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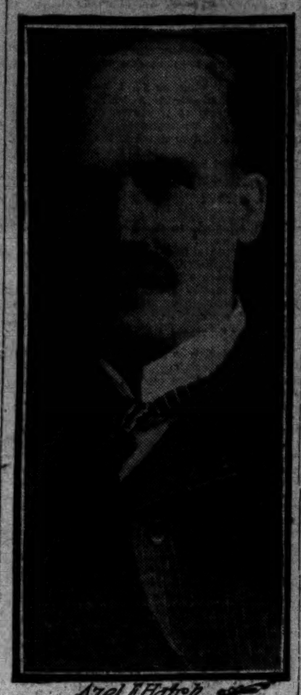

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Azel Farnsworth Hatch died at his home, 19 Delaware place, early yesterday afternoon, aged 58 years. The cause of his illness and death is not definitely known by the attending physicians, but is believed to have been ptomaine poisoning. About a month ago Mr. Hatch came home ill from his offices, at 100 Washington street, and soon after became delirious.

His illness, which was diagnosed as ptomaine poisoning, did not improve with medical treatment, and grew more serious, culminating in death.

Mr. Hatch was born at Lisle, Du Page county, Ill. He attended Oberlin college, and later went to Yale, where he was graduated in 1871. He came to Chicago in 1872, and read law in the office of Judge Shorey. He was admitted to the bar in 1875, and became associated with the law firm of Shorey & Norton, and later with O. F. Aldis, T. C. Bryan, and H. W. Holcomb. For a number of years Mr. Hatch was connected with the Chicago public board, serving as chairman of the building committee and as president of the board from 1897 to 1899. He was a member of the judiciary committee of the Chicago Bar association which recently heard the charges preferred against Judge Chetlain.

Last Saturday he was elected to a three year term on the board of managers of the Chicago Bar association. He was also president of the Chicago Nursery and Half Orphan asylum.

Mr. Hatch was a member of the Union League, University, Yale, and Glen View clubs. He is survived by a widow and five children—Azel F. Hatch Jr., the Misses Helen, Laura, and Grace Hatch, and Mrs. James Nelson of Brooklyn, N. Y. The funeral arrangements have not been definitely arranged, but will probably be on Saturday at the residence. Interment will be at Graceland.

OBITUARY.

DR. WILLIAM PATTERSON KANE, president of Wabash college, Crawfordsville, Ind., is dead at a health resort in the Ozark mountains near Hot Springs, Ark. His death was due to Bright's disease. Dr. Kane was 58 years old and was born in Carroll county, Ohio. He attended college at Monmouth, Ill., and studied theology at Xenia, O., and Newburg, N. Y. His first pastorate was at Argyle, N. Y. From there he went to Lafayette and then to Bloomington, Ill., where he was preaching when he accepted the presidency of Wabash seven years ago.

MRS. MARY Q. PORTER GAMEWELL, wife of Dr. Frank D. Gamewell, one of the secretaries of the Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, is dead at her home in Summit, N. J. Mrs. Gamewell was sent by the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church as a missionary to Peking, China, in 1872. There she was married to Prof. Gamewell of Peking university. Mrs. Gamewell and her husband were caught in the siege of Peking at the time of the boxer uprising. Dr. Gamewell having in charge the fortifications of the legation during the siege and Mrs. Gamewell rendering service in the making of sand bags and in other ways.

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He declared that the girl committed suicide; that she jumped out of the boat in which they were rowing in Big Moose lake and was drowned. He did not claim he tried to save her, but insisted she did not come up again.

Young Gillette flatly contradicted all the circumstantial evidence brought against him by the prosecuting attorney. When he took the witness stand today he began, in response to the queries of his senior counsel, his rehearsal of the tragic story that other witnesses have endeavored to piece together.

"I left Cortland on Sunday, July 8," he began. "Yes, I had been acquainted with Grace Brown for some time. I went to De Ruyter from Cortland and remained there one night. I met Grace Brown. The next day we went to Utica, staying at the Hotel Martin that night.

"We reached Tupper lake at 5 o'clock Monday evening," Gillette said. "When we got to the hotel we started out for a walk. Returning, we told the proprietor that we did not care much for the place, and he told us of a morning train we could get out on. We took that train.

Lake Trip Recommended.

"We went to the Glenmore hotel in a bus," said Gillette. "Grace sat down on the veranda. I went in and talked with the younger Mr. Morrison. He told me there were some beautiful sights on the lake, and when I inquired about a steamer ride he told me to go and tell the engineer that I wanted to go with him. This I did. He said he would blow the whistle for us when he was ready to start.

"Then I went back to the hotel, and Mr. Morrison told me if I wanted to see all the sights on the lake I'd better take a rowboat. I asked Grace which she would rather do and she said——"

There was objection to conversations with the girl now dead and it was sustained.

"We went down to the dock and hired a rowboat," Gillette went on. "Before leaving the hotel I went in and got my things and hung up Grace's hat."

"We started along the south shore and moved along slowly," he said, "looking for places that Mr. Morrison spoke of. We saw a rustic bridge, open camp, and a boathouse, and then we went to South Bay."

South Bay is where Grace Brown's death occurred.

"We went out to pick some pond lilies and floated around reading. I had a magazine. About 10 o'clock we went to the south shore to get in the shade, as the sun was hot. We went to a point about opposite Punkey bay and went on shore. I pulled the boat up and we sat down. I asked her if she was not hungry, and she said she was not well and was not hungry. I got the suitcase and used it to sit on because the ground was damp. She sat on it, and I put my coat behind her. We were on the shore about an hour. I had my camera out also.

Says She Jumped In.

"We talked about what we ought to do," he said, "and I said we ought not to keep on as we had. I finally said I thought her father and mother ought to know of what had occurred. She said she could not tell her mother and cried. I told her she would have to. She said: 'You don't know my father; you can't tell him.'

"We talked a little more, then she got up and jumped in the water—just jumped in. I was in the other end leaning back. When I started to get up the boat turned over. When I came up, I caught hold of the boat."

"Did you see her?"

"I couldn't; after a couple of minutes when I couldn't see her I swam to the shore. I went off through the woods with my stuff. I had landed near it. My hat was in the water, I guess."

Gillette told of visiting Eagle Bay, the Arrowhead inlet, and his trip to Seventh lake. He admitted he thought it was his duty to marry the girl and that he had fully intended to. He claimed that he loved her.

Attorney Ward during a lengthy cross examination read a passage from a letter to Gillette in which Grace Brown said that "may be I'll never go home again until I am sent home dead. You know, dear, you promised me that."

"Did you promise to kill her?"

"No."

"What did she mean?"

"I don't know."

At this point the court took an adjournment until 9:30 Friday.

Makes Her Debut at Charity Ball.

Miss Bessie Baumgarden

More than 4,000 Jews are expected to dance for charity at the Coliseum this evening, the occasion being the annual charity ball of the B. M. Z. for the benefit of the Orthodox Jewish Home for the Aged.

Miss Bessie Baumgarden, who with her father, Chairman Bernard Baumgarden of the ball committee, will lead one of the columns of the grand march, will depart from the usual custom by making the charity ball her "coming out."

Among the boxholders will be Adolph Kraus, Dr. Jacob Frank, Mrs. Joseph Phillipson, Bernard Baumgarden, Abel Davis, Henry Friend, Louis Turivsa, A. Margolis, B. J. Schiff, D. T. Lyon, Mrs. A. Lieberman, H. J. Wartelsky, Samuel Hecht, Dr. Theodore B. Sachs, and M. Lyon.

10 HOMELESS DIE IN FIRE.

SALVATION ARMY HOTEL BURNS IN ST. LOUIS—35 HURT.

Five Hundred Wanderers, Hemmed In by Flames, Fight Desperately to Escape and Many of Them Jump Three Stories—Five of Injured Not Expected to Recover — Throng Penned In Narrow Stairway Released Just in Time by Firemen.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Ten persons are dead and thirty-five injured, of whom five are not expected to recover, as the result of a fire in the Lighthouse hotel, Ninth and Market streets, the Salvation army's lodging house for homeless men.

The Dead.

BURKHARDT, J. GEORGE, aged 51.
BUTLER, JOHN, 59 years.
DAVIS, OSCAR T., 76 years old; old soldier of Quincy, Ill.
HOWARD, EDWARD, 46 years.
ROSE, GEORGE D.
VARLEY, JAMES, 35 years.
Four unknown men.

Probably 500 men were asleep in the building when the fire started on the third floor, presumably from a cigar or cigaret stub.

Men fought at the windows to secure the life lines and slide to the street, but so great was their frenzy that the ropes were of little avail. Those who could not escape by the stairway leaped from the windows. A large number were caught in nets, but many jumped before the nets were stretched and were injured.

There was only one stairway. Down this the panic stricken men surged, only to find the street door locked. Firemen soon burst the door open, permitting the men to gain the street.

Terror then took possession of a number, who started to run through the streets thinly clad. They were pursued and caught and taken in ambulances to places of warmth.

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HAD LOADED GUN FOR ROCKEFELLER

Woman Who Demanded $1,000,000 of Standard Oil Is Incurably Insane.

IS A "PRIESTESS OF WOE."

Declares City of New York Is to Be Destroyed Because of Its Wickedness.

New York, Nov. 28.—[Special.]—A woman who, according to Detective Sergeant Flood of the district attorney's office, got into the offices of the Standard Oil company at 26 Broadway last Friday armed with a loaded revolver and threatened to kill John D. Rockefeller, was sent to the physicopathic ward in Bellevue hospital by Magistrate Whitecomb this morning. The woman appeared to be incurably insane with a form of religious mania, and her husband attributes her malady from a fall from a street car two years ago in Boston.

Her husband is Herman Handfield, superintendent for M. Cherry, a trunk manufacturer at 1280 Broadway. His wife declined to be known simply as Mrs. Handfield.

"My name," she said, "is Rosedelima Beauvais Handfield, queen of the sun, the moon, and stars, and God's priestess of woe to them who incur God's displeasure."

Demands $1,000,000 Cash.

Mrs. Handfield, is a woman of 40 and of matronly appearance. She wore a full length blue silk coat with brown figures, cut in automobile style, and a broad straw hat with a heavy automobile veil.

On Nov. 23 she gained an entrance in some way to the Standard Oil offices and there demanded $1,000,000 in cash. She insisted on seeing Mr. Rockefeller personally, and, displaying a pistol, declared he had better see that she got the cash.

"He must not trifle with me. I am Rosedelima, queen of the sun, moon, and stars," she declared. "I have had a great vision that he and all his property at Constable Hook will be destroyed and cast out. Woe, woe to him; let him repent. Even now I come to have his soul. Let him give $1,000,000 to me that the poor shall be fed and God's wrath averted."

Some of the clerks managed to induce the demented woman to depart on the promise that Mr. Rockefeller would see her another day.

Predicts Woe for New York.

She then began to write to the city magistrates and Supreme court justices warning them a great calamity was about to befall this city because of its wickedness.

Mrs. Handfield in her wanderings called at several banks and trust companies and demanded large sums. Somebody gave her a check drawn on the Guardian Trust company at 170 Broadway for $1,000,000,000, signed with an impossible name. This she presented several days ago to Alfred M. Barrett, assistant secretary.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

AARON PALMER, superintendent of schools at Maquoketa, Ia., for the last six years, has been elected superintendent of schools at Marshalltown.

MISS MINNIE CONRAD of Great Falls, Mont., will christen the cruiser Montana at Newport News, Va., Dec. 5.

D. B. PURINTON, president of West Virginia university, is ill with pneumonia at Morgantown, O.

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FREIGHT RATES TO THE SOUTH.

The manufacturing and commercial interests of Chicago, Cincinnati, and other central cities are gratified that the presidents of the Southern and the Louisville and Nashville railways at last concede the need for a readjustment of freight rates on manufactured articles and merchandise from central territory to the south. The people of the south have reason to feel no less pleased. The existing adjustment of rates is equally inimical to the central shipper and to the southern dealer and consumer. It injures the former by restricting the market in which he can sell and the latter by restricting the market in which they can buy.

The present basis of rates to the south was established more than thirty years ago. It was decided then to give the eastern seaboard the advantage on rates to the south on manufactured goods and merchandise and to give central territory the advantage on rates on foodstuffs and similar bulky commodities. The action of the roads was not justifiable when first taken. Its effect was to give the lines leading from the eastern and Virginia gateways a monopoly of carrying manufactured articles and merchandise, and the lines leading from the Ohio and Mississippi river gateways a monopoly of the carrying of foodstuffs, and thus to prevent effective rail competition into the south.

The arrangement grew more indefensible as central cities became great manufacturing and mercantile points whose shippers were entitled to, but were denied by the railway flat, an entrance into the south for their products on as good terms as their seaboard competitors. Ten years ago the interstate commerce commission fixed a basis of rates much more favorable to central shippers, but the federal Supreme court, ruling that the commission had no power to make rates, overturned it.

The adjustment has become more unfair and discriminatory since then in proportion as central industries have developed. It cannot be defended on any recognized theory of rate making. It cannot be defended on the distance theory of rates, because, while the distances from eastern seaboard cities to southern markets are on the average much greater than from central cities, the rates are on the average much less. The commission has held that water competition is insufficient to cut much figure. Even on the "competition of markets" theory central shippers should be let into the south at least on the same terms as their eastern rivals.

The decision of southern railway heads to listen to the demands of central shippers after having for so many years turned a deaf ear to them is a fruit of the provision of the Hepburn act expressly authorizing the interstate commerce commission to change unfair rates. They are wise in altering their attitude. If the commission were given a chance it doubtless would order as sweeping reductions in rates from central territory to the south as it did ten years ago. The southern lines can get better terms by speedily making reasonable concessions to central shippers than they can by again forcing them to seek justice at the hands of the law.

SOCIETY AND THE FAT STOCK SHOW.

Consternation reigns in the best circles of cattle, swine, and sheep. Ordinarily the approaching week is for them the proudest if not the gladdest week in all the glad new year, for it is then that the fat of the land meet together and strut their little hour upon the stage. But a sad announcement has gone forth to mar the hitherto undimmed glory of fat stock—nothing less than the assurance that "society will turn out in larger numbers than ever before in the history of the live stock association." Enter lovely woman in splendor's panoply; retire in confusion the arrogant steer, the vaunting sheep, the swollen swine. Make way for society.

Thus, little by little, society encroaches upon every domain of commerce as of science and art. Thus it invades alike the Auditorium and the stockyards, the Coliseum and Orchestra hall. And thus it distributes impartially the radiant hues of its robes and the glitter of its gems amid the crash of music, the neighing of horses, and the lowing of the discomfited herd. Society may be slow, but it is sure. Years have gone by; Chicago's wonder spot has attracted thousands of strangers to its marvels; princes, statesmen, littérateurs, men and women of eminent degree—all have devoutly journeyed to the stockyards as to Mecca; it remained only for society to put the seal of approbation on the stable foundation of material progress. Society has advanced with its customary confidence to attack and to conquer, and the opposing battalions are temporarily in full retreat.

But while society has captured the horse show, the flower show, the automobile show, and is valorously advancing on the fat stock show, there are internal evidences that it is now engaged in a losing fight. Against society gorgeous in its equipment and dazzling in its radiance are arrayed the whole strength and supremacy of the farm, the combined forces of the rural population. Plumes may wave and diamonds may flash, and personages of tremendous social import may be "among those present," but at the first grunt of the prize porker, the triumphant bellowing of the blue ribbon steer, society will be neglected for the greater joys of the home interests. There is a sphere of life which society, even with its great enduring power, cannot be permitted to dominate. The fat cattle must remain the great attraction of the live stock show.

THE SPIRIT OF THANKSGIVING.

The spirit of thankfulness is part of human nature. There are few who are not influenced by it. As it is manifested the judgment of mankind is formed. When an individual fails to feel gratitude for favors bestowed, or, being helped and encouraged by a friend in time of need, fails to show appreciation, even the least sentimental are apt to comment adversely and to give unsparing criticism and condemnation. It is this deepseated feeling that has made a national holiday called Thanksgiving day a natural expression of a people's gratitude.

As an American institution it had its origin in connection with a pronounced religious sentiment. The colonists were accustomed to give an overruling Providence the praise for the blessings of life. In a starving time they had set apart a day for fasting and prayer, and when the arrival of well laden ships removed the necessity for such supplication it was easy to turn the day into one of thanksgiving and rejoicing, not forgetting the one whom they believed to be the giver of every good gift. Their influence has never been allowed to be forgotten. The ordinary proclamation of president or governor seldom fails to emphasize the desirability of some sort of religious assemblage of the people for the purpose of recognizing the obligation to the Supreme Being.

But it is a wrong conception which seeks to make the celebration of the occasion exclusively religious. There is historic basis for the meeting of family friends around the dinner table to eat turkey and mince pie and live over together the occurrences of the year. The spirit of joyousness is as necessary a part of the celebration as any other. The New England founders of the American holiday did not fail to have a big dinner in connection with the expression of their gratitude for the good things of life.

Indeed, if one were to recall the celebrations which have attended the closing of the harvest season throughout all ages it would be seen that joyousness and athletic sports were as prominent as was the religious feature. The Greeks and Romans had their festival days in honor of the goddess of agriculture, when rustic sports and processions were joined with offerings to the household gods. The Egyptians had their festival in honor of Isis. The ancient Jews had their feast of tabernacles. The English had their harvest home celebration. All through history the idea crops out. Gratitude and happiness mingle with religious expression. The one is as prominent as the other.

In the first year of his presidency Washington called for a day of national thanksgiving. His example was followed at intervals by other presidents until the close of the civil war, since which time each year the president of the United States and the governor of each commonwealth have joined in urging the people to public expression of thankfulness for their year's favors. There never was such occasion for thankfulness as the present. With abundant prosperity, with magnificent crops, with peace and plenty in the land, there is good reason why every citizen should enter into the spirit of the day, making due acknowledgment in a religious way and engaging heartily in the joyous festivity which has its historic place in a national celebration in which our people take more and more interest as the years pass by.

THE WEALTH OF THE FARM.

The year just past has been one of the most prosperous years the farmers of this country have ever known. The value of the farm products, including live stock, is estimated by the secretary of agriculture at the inconceivable figure of $6,794,000,000, nearly half a billion more than last year and over two billion more than in 1899. An increase of 44 per cent in seven years is cause enough for thanksgiving. Over a million farmers who were debtors ten years ago, trying to pay the interest on mortgages on their farms, are now looking for investments for their money.

The exports of farm products, in spite of increased consumption at home, have grown to $976,000,000. In spite of the injurious statements printed about the packing houses the figures for exports of packing house products exceed $200,000,000 for the first time. The balance of trade in favor of the American farmer, that is, the excess of exportations of American agricultural products over imports of the same character, was for last year $433,000,000, as against $85,000 for all other classes of exports and imports. Taking the last seventeen years together the balance in favor of the American farmer is over six billion dollars, while the balance against the other American producers combined amounts to nearly half a billion.

The increased prosperity of the farmer has enabled him to make himself still richer by developing land which was wholly or partially unproductive because of lack of money. Alluvial land has been reclaimed, marshes have been drained, the proper seeds or plants have been bought for special soils. Rocky slopes have been planted with fruit trees and leguminous plants on sandy soil. Arid and semi-arid soil has been irrigated. Improvements have not been halted by lack of cash. At the same time farm life has been made less monotonous by the introduction of the telephone everywhere and by the trolley and by rural free delivery in the more thickly settled districts.

The department of agriculture has done much to stimulate this growth of prosperity. It has introduced a winter wheat which bears five bushels an acre more than the old kind and a winter barley which bears 50 per cent more than spring barley. It has found that the camphor tree flourishes in Florida on land where the orange orchards have been destroyed by frost, and that date palms grow successfully in Arizona. The alkali lands can now be reclaimed, promising new development to Utah and states similarly situated, while a way to inoculate soils for leguminous crops has been found even more successful than the one hitherto used.

The farm is the strength of the nation, and the city dweller wishes the farmer a long continuance of the present prosperity. As long as the farmer has work for the unemployed of the cities and money to buy the products of the factories, the cities share in the good things of life. When crops fail and the farmer is hard up the factories must close and the workmen out of a job look in vain to the farm for a chance to share in the harvest. The farmer has enough laid by to stand a year or two of bad luck, but everybody wishes him another year like the last.

EARLY REDEMPTION ON A PLEDGE.

The newly elected treasurer of Cook county has not yet taken possession of his offices, but he has already redeemed one of the pledges he made while a candidate. It was that he would get a better rate of interest than had ever before been paid on deposits of county funds. Arrangements have been made, which will go into effect as soon as Mr. Thompson assumes responsibility for the funds of the county, to deposit the money in banks which are willing to pay good rates of interest. When the interest begins to accrue Mr. Thompson will redeem a second pledge by turning the money over promptly to the county. Many earlier treasurers have taken the position that so long as they were responsible for the money it was nobody's business what they did with it in the interval between receiving it and paying it out. Some of them made large profits from private agreements with banks. The highest interest received by the county when it received any has been 2 per cent. By virtue of Mr. Thompson's arrangement the county will receive 2½ per cent on the daily balances and 3 per cent on deposits of six months or more. It will be possible to keep a large part of the money on deposit for six months, as the taxes have to be husbanded so as to pay expenses until the taxes of the next year are collected.

Ante-election pledges have no legal force, but an honest man keeps them to the best of his ability. Mr. Thompson has been a successful business man and has a business man's idea both of the value of money and the value of his word. His early indication of what he proposes to do shows that the county made no mistake in choosing him for its treasurer.

You owe the thanks.

Don't think you are "giving" them.

Let us be grateful today, but let us not overeat.

The Hon. Ben Tillman, with all his faults, is a hard man to scare.

It is a mistake for 600 persons to insist on crowding all at once into an elevated train capable of holding only 400.

Uncle Joe Cannon is properly grateful, as a matter of course, but things turned out exactly as he had anticipated.

"Mrs. Hannah Graham," whose real name is Mrs. Stanhope, has been found. She exonerates the monkey.

Dr. Dott thinks a car is properly filled when those passengers who are standing are only half as numerous as those sitting down. He would allow eighty-four in a car with a seating capacity of fifty-six. It is a great thing to have a head for figures and to be able to solve the passenger transportation problem by applying the simple yet inflexible rules of mathematics.

Having investigated the story that he was snubbed by Mayor Dunne, the illustrious senator from South Carolina finds it to be entirely without foundation.

Better is a plump chicken, where love is, than a 15 pound turkey and hatred therewith.

If Count Boni really wanted work, however, he might have some trouble in finding anything useful that he could do.

The raw material for breakfast food is cheap enough. It is the predigesting process, you understand, that makes the finished article cost so much.

Secretary Shaw's conference with the Pittsburg business men who are trying to have a new federal building erected in that city was pleasant enough, except that he told them they were grafters and schemers, and they would have to come to him with clean hands before they could expect anything from his department.

Ir Supt. Cooley ordered Dr. Kuflewski out of his office on one occasion, five years ago, when the doctor went to call upon him, the provocation must have been strong.

His honor thinks Chicago has not been so clean morally at any time in the last twenty-five years as it is now. But how about the streets?

Taking advantage of this spelling reform unpleasantness, Esperanto is trying to crowd its way to the front again. It offers a refuge.

What a calamity it would be if Standard Oil stock should fall until it became worth only its par value!

IN A MINOR KEY.

For These.

If you have still some joy in life,
If free from bickerings and strife,
If able to digest your feed,
If neither wealthy nor in need,
With ears to hear, and eyes to see,
Some share of strength and energy,
A chair, a table, and a bed,
A floor beneath, a roof o'erhead,
A change of shirts, a decent coat,
The right to poll your little vote,
No notes protested at the banks,
No need of dodging bores or cranks,
A pair of fairly shapely shanks
To help you climb above the ranks—
For these, with other things, give thanks.

Why Not?

Teacher—"Tommy, k-a-a-a-u-m is not the correct spelling of 'chasm.'"

Tommy—"I know it takes a little longer, ma'am, but that's the simplified way."

Obviously Impossible.

"Before you unfold your scheme," said the cautious capitalist and prospective investor, "you will have to promise to let me in on the ground floor."

"Why—er—as to that," answered the promoter, visibly embarrassed, "there isn't going to be any ground floor. This is a flying machine enterprise."

No Opposition.

"Gerald, have you asked papa yet?"

"O, yes; I asked him this morning. It's—it's all right, Lucy."

"What did he say?"

"Well, he said there was no accounting for tastes, and that if you had got your heart set on bringing me into the family he guessed he could stand it."

"O, Gerald, isn't he a dear!"

Had Hopes.

Mrs. Ferguson—"George, did you order that turkey this morning?"

Mr. Ferguson—"Order it, Laura? Heavens, no! What are you thinking about? I requested it. Our grocer is a kind hearted man, though, and I think he'll send us one."

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Too Deep for Him.

"I don't know what she meant, y' know."

"What did she say?"

"Well, I was saying that I didn't feel like myself today, and, by Jove! she congratulated me heartily!"—Brooklyn Eagle.

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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THE duke of Cumberland, former crown prince of Hanover, and de jure, but not de facto, sovereign duke of Brunswick, requests the publication of certain correspondence which has passed between him and the German emperor with regard to the throne of Brunswick. Some of the letters have already been printed. But there are two that are entirely new and which alter the complexion of things. One of these was addressed by the duke on March 10, 1892, to the kaiser, and contains the following passage:

"I gladly seize this opportunity, as I have formerly declared, now again to declare, that any undertaking which might disturb the peace of the German empire is far from my thoughts. As a German prince, I love my German fatherland, faithfully and sincerely, and I would never—I emphatically assure your imperial and royal majesty—excite or promote with such means now at my disposal, or which later might be at my disposal, any inimical undertaking against your majesty or against the Prussian state, directly or indirectly."

On the death of Duke William of Brunswick twenty-one years ago the duke of Cumberland should, as the rightful heir, with undisputed claim, have succeeded to the throne of Brunswick. But the federal council, composed of the plenipotentiaries of the various sovereigns of the confederation known as the German empire, decided that they could not tolerate the presence on a German throne, and as a sovereign member of the confederation, of a prince who by the maintenance of his claims to the former kingdom of Hanover, at present a Prussian province, ipso facto aimed at the disruption of Prussia, and withheld recognition of the empire as now constituted. On the strength of this decision, the Brunswick legislature, in accordance with the terms of its constitution, which provides for the election by the diet of a regent in the event of the lawful prince being prevented from occupying the throne, chose as regent Prince Albert of Prussia, who died early in the fall of this year, his demise rendering necessary either the election of a new regent or the conclusion of some agreement by means of which the duke of Cumberland or one of his two sons might occupy the throne.

The duke of Cumberland on the death of the regent, Prince Albert, addressed letters to the German emperor and to the chancellor, Prince Bülow, dated Oct. 2, 1906, offering to renounce the rights of himself and of his eldest son, George, to the throne of Brunswick in favor of his younger son, Prince Ernest. These two letters were met with responses by the kaiser and by Bülow to the effect that inasmuch as the circumstances which had led the federal council to oppose the succession of the duke in 1885 remained unaltered, they (that is to say, the kaiser and the chancellor) did not see their way to lend a hand to the proposal submitted by the duke. Prince Bülow even went further and virtually declined to submit the duke's proposal to the federal council, of which he, as chancellor, is the president and executive officer.

The fact of the matter is that the emperor and the chancellor insist that the duke should renounce not only for himself but also for his sons all further claim to the former kingdom of Hanover as a condition for the occupancy of the throne of Brunswick by any member of his house. This the duke has neither done nor has he offered to do. But while maintaining by his silence on the subject his abstract right to the kingdom of Hanover, he has pledged himself by his letter of March 10, 1892, to the kaiser, above quoted, and now given to the public for the first time, that he will never "directly or indirectly excite or promote any inimical undertaking against the Prussian state." Inasmuch as the latter includes the kingdom of Hanover, this is equivalent to a recognition of the incorporation of Hanover into the kingdom of Prussia.

Another document, now given to the public for the first time, is the letter written by the duke to the federal sovereigns of the German empire, on being notified of their objection to his presence on the throne of Brunswick in 1885. It is dated Sept. 22 of that year. It is too long to be given in its entirety, but its salient points are contained in the following lines:

"It is true that I have not renounced my claim to Hanover. The reservation, however, of this claim, is reconcilable with the constitution of the empire, and in this I am in the same position as other German sovereigns, who advanced such claims at the time of the organization of the German federation, and which they did not renounce on their entrance into the membership of the German empire. I have never intended to assert this claim (to Hanover) in any manner which could disturb the peace of the empire, and I am fully aware that it would be my duty if I were the head of the government of one of the German federal states holding to the German empire only to assert these claims in such a manner as should be fitting to the constitution of the German empire."

From this it will be seen that while the duke refrains from any definite and direct renunciation of his claims to Hanover, he treats that claim as an abstract rather than an actual proposition, and implies its renunciation by acknowledging the constitution of the German empire, and by pledging himself never at any time to undertake any project directly or indirectly inimical to Prussia.

It is only fair to add, by way of explanation of the attitude of the kaiser, that while the duke of Cumberland has not himself maneuvered against the Prussian government, the Guelph party, which is composed of people who profess to be his adherents, have for the last thirty years or more rendered themselves conspicuous by their opposition in the Imperial parliament to the measures of the Prussian government and of the chancellor. The duke of Cumberland is the titular chief of this party—which is a powerful factor in German politics. Naturally the Prussian government does not wish to lend a hand to the placing of the chief of the house of Guelph upon the throne without the most formal and definite assurances to the effect that the duke will become frankly the friend of Prussia, recognizing its kingdom as now constituted, and will publicly withdraw his countenance from any further opposition by the Guelph party to the imperial and Prussian governments. The friends of the duke of Cumberland insist that the pledges required of him are contained in the two letters quoted above, and now made public for the first time, explaining that he cannot go any further, bound as he is by a promise extorted from him by his dying father never formally to renounce his right to Hanover. The kaiser and chancellor, on the other hand, declare that the pledges are not sufficiently definite. There the matter stands.

The legislature of Brunswick has decided to leave the matter open until Feb. 2. By that time it is hoped at Brunswick that either the kaiser will have relented and have consented to accept the assurances of the duke as satisfactory and adequate, or else that the duke will have complied with all the demands of the emperor and of the chancellor with regard to Hanover. Failing the realization of either of these alternatives, the legislature of Brunswick will, after Feb. 2 next, proceed to elect, not a regent, but, it is said, a new dynasty, in lieu of the Guelphs.

This is an eventuality which few of the sovereigns of Europe contemplate with complacency. For it is the repudiation of the doctrine of dynastic and hereditary right to thrones. If parliaments are free to elect the dynasties, why should they not also elect their monarchs? It is true that the present dynasty of England owes its possession of the British throne to its election by parliament two centuries ago, when the so-called act of settlement was voted, by a majority of one, vesting the succession in the Protestant house of Guelph, and barring the Catholic Stuarts. But this led to long and sanguinary civil wars, besides which democratic doctrines since those days have made such rapid strides among the people that the one care of the anointed of the Lord at present is to avoid everything that is calculated injuriously to affect the principle of legitimacy and of hereditary succession to their thrones. If the people of Brunswick are permitted to ignore the rights of their de jure sovereign, who has inherited them from ancestors who have been in possession of the duchy for many hundred years, and to elect, not merely another duke, but also another dynasty, why should not other states, not only in Germany but also elsewhere, do the same thing, and elect new rulers and dynasties whenever they have got tired of their present sovereigns, regardless of the hereditary rights of the latter?

NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

Athens and the Olympian Games.

Burton Holmes took his auditors to Athens last evening, and the trip was the most interesting and most enjoyable one he has given them this season. He himself seemed in better spirit, and the subject with which he had to deal was clearly to his liking. There was enough of the picturesque, the historical, and the literary about Athens itself and its sister cities to afford him opportunity for effective descriptions and attractive still pictures, and the Olympian games, which he made the feature of the second half of the evening, gave abundant scope for the introduction of numerous and varied motion pictures.

The filling and emptying of the great stadion, the voyage from Patras to Piræus through the Corinthian canal, and the setting out of tables and chairs in the café in front of the royal palace in Athens could be done with "crazy pictures," which invariably tickle the risibilities of the audience, and the beautiful motion picture showing the wonderful diving at the games could be made productive also of laughter by running part of it backwards and thus causing the divers to dive first into the water and then rise from the water up through the air to their original starting place.

The king and queen of England were visiting King George during the games, and therefore there was much showing of majesty and its entrances and exits. It all was entertaining and the motion pictures of the important moments in some of the great events in the games were especially clear and good. Mr. Holmes talked enthusiastically of the sports and their results and the audience was held attentive and keen until the final phrase. The still pictures were better than those of either of the previous lectures, those of the great historic buildings and monuments of the Greek capital being especially well taken and presented.

The view of the Parthenon illuminated for a night festival was particularly effective, and some of the pictures of Delphi and the excavations being made there by the French government were among the most interesting shown. The electric current was contrary last evening, but it at no time refused totally to respond, and Mr. Depue has handled this unreliable and rebellious element so long that he understands well how to cover up much of its ill behavior. The lecture will be repeated tomorrow night and Saturday afternoon in Orchestra hall.

This afternoon commencing at 3:30 instead of the customary 2:15 o'clock the Thomas orchestra will give an "extra" concert. Mme. Gadski being the soloist. The eminent soprano will be heard in "Dich Teura Halle," from "Tannhäuser," and Schubert's "Gretchen at the Spinning Wheel" and the Wagner "Dreams." Mr. Stock has arranged a program which is in the best sense popular, containing, as it does, the "Tannhäuser" Overture, the "Scene Religieuse" from the Massenet "Les Erinnyes," with the 'cello obligato for Mr. Steindel; the Prelude to Saint-Saëns' "The Deluge," with the obligato for Mr. Kramer; the Overture to Nicolai's "Merry Wives of Windsor," and Liszt's Second Hungarian Rhapsody.

Tonight in Music hall Hugo Heermann and Ernesto Consolo will offer the second of the four Sonata evenings they have arranged, and the first of which, given last week, proved so enjoyable. They will be heard in the D minor of Brahms, the A major of Mozart, and the A major of Cesar Franck.

W. L. Hubbard.

LEGISLATION FOR FARMERS.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I have before me a letter from a member recently elected to the Nebraska legislature. This gentleman is seeking facts and figures to present to the lawmaking body of that state for the express purpose of securing legislation in the interest of farmers. This member was elected by an overwhelming farmer vote for no other reason than to shape legislation such as will give farmers their rights at the thousands of shipping points over that state. By their "rights" I mean the privilege of using each and every railroad as a common carrier by which they can, as individuals, ship their grain to the central markets without being forced to sell to the home buyer. Farmers concede that the local grain handler's profits amount to several cents a bushel on each car of grain, and this applied to the entire grain production of the state means fortunes in a single year for the middleman.

At a recent sitting of the interstate commerce commission in Chicago I testified, with others, to the fact that railroads, especially in Illinois, had discriminated against farmer shippers and in favor of the elevator owner at the station to the extent of driving the individual farmer shipper out of the shipping business. Over the western states I have for years done everything possible to show farmers the need of forming shipping associations and expose the tactics of the discriminating railroad agents and the grain shippers' association by a united force which they would be bound to respect.

I agree with The Tribune that this new wave of legislation and regulation of the common carriers should not be carried to the extent of placing railroad property in jeopardy. It is just rights as an individual shipper that the farmer demands and not any dangerous legislation which will at all cripple the magnificent railroad properties of the west, which are so necessary for its fullest development.

I am in close touch with many of the ruling spirits of the western lines and could mention several instances in which these gentlemen have pledged a different attitude towards farmer shippers than has been exercised for years past. I believe that as railroads modify their positions of unfairness to individual shippers of grain—an unfairness which is not manifested against individual shippers of any other class of property—there will be a disposition on the part of producers to meet the common carriers half way, to their mutual benefit.

One thing I believe I am justified in stating from years of experience in this fight for the right of individual farmers' shipments, and that is that independent shipments of grain over the western roads to the central markets have come to stay; that railroad officials or agents who have been suspiciously friendly with so-called "regular" shippers at the stations must divorce themselves from this alliance, and must instruct their agents to serve all shippers alike, if they wish to escape the storm which is now gathering force over the great surplus grain raising states of the west.

Just now some distinguished railroad magnates are indulging in much high sounding talk about what consideration must be shown the producers. This is blowing hot and cold to allay the indignation of the public. Let a few of these managers of great grain carrying roads publish to the world in instructions to agents that grain raisers must be permitted to be grain shippers absolutely on the same terms as regular grain buyers, and I will pledge the good will and friendly attitude of both organized and unorganized farmers towards such lines from that day.

H. H. Carr.

Conceit of the Eskimos.

The missionaries tell me that the Eskimos are a most conceited race, and that their own opinion of their musical gifts is high. The first time the missionary's wife of whom I have spoken played on the piano for them they exclaimed, "She plays almost as well as we." This conceit of the Eskimos makes the missionaries' task difficult.

"What can a teacher accomplish when his pupils think they know more than he? The Eskimos do not even attempt to argue, but simply shrug their shoulders and say, with a supercilious smile, 'That may be so in your opinion, but——' And so, in spite of nearly 130 years of religious training, many of them are still only quasi-Christians, and the traveler may still pick up curious bits of heathen folk lore among them. The missionaries have, however, undoubtedly wrought wonders, for to them is due every advance toward civilization made in this heretofore wilderness. The Huskies have been taught cleanliness to a certain degree.—Scribner's Magazine.

Bedlam as a Refuge.

"Here!" shouted the asylum guard, "you can't come in here. This place is for crazy folks!"

"I know it," replied the stranger, "I'm trying to get away from the fellows on the outside who think they're sane!"—Atlanta Constitution.

"HOW I WAS BUNKOED." By the Victims.

Tribune Readers Tell of the Ways in Which They Were Filchfammed Out of Their Savings.

In response to the request of The Tribune hundreds of readers have sent in accounts of the ways in which they have been bunkoed. The series of personal experiences is full of human interest and tragedy, and gives warnings by which others may profit.

Bunkoed by Cupid as He Deserved.

LEFT an orphan at 18. I decided to become a physician and devote myself particularly to treatment of the eye. I studied at the University of Pennsylvania, and went abroad to finish in London, Paris, and Berlin. Nine years were spent in school and hospital, and at 27 I reached New York fitted, so far as my natural abilities allowed, to enter with success my chosen life work.

I had within a few hundred of $7,000, and the two alternatives presented themselves, safe investment and insignificant returns, meanwhile slowly starving while my practice was building, or speculation with a chance of gaining at a bound that competence which every man desires and so few attain.

The speculation which was pictured to me was neither stock nor patent rights. Safer, surer, quicker than all—a rich wife! Why not?

Surely, little old New York contained enough millionaires with marriageable daughters to afford a chance to even me. I consulted authorities. I read the Blue Book. I haunted the opera and the horse show. I measured and weighed and decided.

My small capital was invested in an office, a quiet apartment, a valet, a wardrobe, a few introductions, and after a careful winter campaign I was engaged to a charming girl whose father, after a strenuous life in the wholesale leather business, sought a secluded life at his country house near Tarrytown, while his daughter presided over his city home—rather too far downtown, but "well enough," I said to myself. We were to be married in September.

All went well till June, when among the "buds" who came home from private schools was one about 17 whose face and manner interested me at once. I found she was the only daughter of one of the largest coffee importers in New York. Bradstreet and Dun rated him some hundreds of thousands higher than the retired leather merchant. I trumped up an excuse, quarreled with my fiancée, was released without regret, and paid violent court to my new divinity. Again successful, I insisted upon a speedy marriage. "Twas a proud day for me when, after the church wedding, I reached the paternal roof and just before the reception my father-in-law placed in my hand a check for $50,000, "as an earnest of his intentions," he said.

We fled under a shower of rice to the Bahamas to spend our honeymoon and the remaining hundreds of my principal.

Returning home in February, we were met at the dock by papa and the carriage, and amid a New York rain we rumbled home. Papa was quiet. The house was closed and we were told that "mamma was lying down." I went down to the club and was greeted by my friends with amused smiles.

"Got home just in time, old chap."

"How's that?" I replied.

"What, hadn't you heard? Papa failed yesterday for half a million!"

And in my pocketbook was that $50,000 check!

Across the square I could see the gilt sign of "Sylvester Johnson, Wholesale Leather."

J. L. W.

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It was sending good money after bad. So I lost my money by not investigating before purchasing, and in the second place by not dropping a bad thing when I found it bad.

The two great causes of lost money are carelessness and more carelessness. B. P.

Gets Stuck on Land in "Arkansaw."

HAVING read the gaudy booklet that was issued by a railroad company showing in many colors the beautiful prairie land of "Arkansaw," I became much interested in that country. After the booklet came the land agent with words of praise, showing all the advantages of the rolling prairie, with its beautiful groves that were known as islands in the home country.

I bought quite a tract of land on the agent's representations and the first favorable season I visited my purchase and from the cut in the bank made by the railroad it was evident that the soil was but a few inches deep.

On my way to the farm, noticing that the country was thinly settled and only by the poorer class of whites, I began to feel uneasy about my purchase. Meeting a native, I asked him many question about the country, several of which he was loath to answer.

I finally asked him "if there was any serious objection to farming in that country."

And he answered: "Nothing, except that when you plow the prairie soil after the second year it grows up with sassafras."

"What do you do then?" I said.

"Just move away."

And so did I. R. A. D.

Wheat Deal with No Chance to Win.

HOW to clear $76,500 in six weeks on an original investment of $600 was the problem I remember the day he came to our town, not far from Chicago, opened a broker's office, and leased the editor, devil, and press of the Daily Clarion for thirty days. I spent money like water, intoxicated each citizen with whom I came in contact. He was J. P. Morgan's chum, he said. He made my heart stand still to hear him quietly dismiss the Wall street heroes as "pikers," "cinchers," and "tin horns." Next to the B flat cornet player in the brass band he was the greatest man I had ever known up to that time. I had saved up $300, and a newspaper friend of mine told him about it.

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Artist—"So wars the world! My good, honestly painted pictures, no one would buy; now I make false banknotes, and they go like hot cakes."—Simplicissimus.

First Student (entering cafe)—"Good morning, Brummel. Is Spund here?"

Second Student—"I don't know; let's look (looking under the table). "No, he isn't here."—Lustige Blätter.

RIGID TEST.

Traveler (to inkeeper, who is making rather a fuss about letting him have a room)—"It's all right; I am a professor at the schools at N——."

Inkeeper (suspiciously)—"Well, if you are a professor, just you tell me who discovered America, and then I will let you in."—Meggendorfer Blätter.

A doctor who was recounting some of his experiences of hypnotism related the following story:

"I once had a patient who was ill with consumption, and who ought to have gone to a warmer climate, but whose means were insufficient, so I resolved to try what hypnotism would do for him. I had a huge sun chalked on the ceiling of his room, and by suggestion induced him to think it was the sun, which would cure him. The ruse succeeded, and he was getting daily better, when one day on my arrival I found he was dead.

"Did it fail after all, then?" asked the doctor's hearers.

"No," replied the doctor, "he died of sunstroke."—Meggendorfer Blätter.

ECSTATIC BLISS.

Friend—"Well, how do you feel now you're married?"

Young Husband (recently married to a rich girl)—"Fine. It's just like pay day every day."—Meggendorfer Blätter.

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All Purchases Friday by Charge Customers Entered on December Account

SIEGEL COOPER & CO
THE BIG STORE — Chicago's Economy Center

See the Roosevelt Bears Saturday

Not in Years Has Chicago Seen Such a Sale of Women's Coats, Suits and Skirts!

Entire $55,000 Stock of F. Siegel & Bros. at $30,000

Hundreds of Fine Suits for Women & Misses

Here are Stylish, Up-to-Date Suits in broadcloth, cheviot, serge and Panama, in red, blue, brown, navy, gray, mode, black, small checks, plaids, 300 styles in Eton, blouse, fitted, semi-fitted, box & Prince Chap modes. Jackets all silk & satin lined.

21.50 for $35 Suits. **19.75** for $35 Suits. **17.50** for $30 Suits. **$15** for $27.50 Suits. **12.75** for $25 Suits. **$10** for $20 Suits. **7.50** for $15 Suits. **$5** for $10 Suits.

This Suit $5

Fine Broadcloth Coats for Women — 200 of these Women's Fine Broadcloth Coats, elaborately trimmed and tailored. All satin lined. Pretty fall styles. $20 Coats at **$10**

800 English Tweed Coats for Women & Misses — 800 Coats of the Finest Tweed patterns—stripes, plaids and checks. All are handsomely tailored and priced at little more than half:

7.50 for 15.00 Coats	5.00 for 10.00 Coats	15.00 for 25.00 Coats
6.75 for 12.50 Coats	17.50 for 27.50 Coats	12.50 for 22.50 Coats

Beautiful Coats of Imported Cloth—100 of these Coats. Wonderful vals. Fine imported broadcloth & medium weight kerseys. Beautifully tailored. Part or all satin lined. All are splendid $25 Coats at **13.75**

6.50 — These Handsome Cheviot Coats for misses and women sell everywhere at 12.50. They're stylish coats in brown, blue and black. Single and double-breasted coats. Long length styles. Have velvet collar and cuffs and partly satin lined. 12.50 Coats at 6.50.

This Coat $15

1,000 Stylish Skirts in This Great Sale

16.50 for $25 Skirts. **$15** for 22.50 Skirts. **12.50** for 17.50 Skirts. **10.75** for 16.50 Skirts. **7.50** for 10.75 Skirts. **$5** for 8.75 Skirts. **3.75** for 5.50 Skirts.

Splendid Dress Goods Remnants, 69c, 45c, 35c and 30c

69c — These splendid remnants of imported dress goods are in 3 to 7 yard lengths. In the lot are All-Wool Silk Finished Prunella Suiting, All-Wool German Henrietta, French Armure, 54-in. Rain Proof Cravenette Coating, All-Wool Covert Skirting and Suiting, Poplins, All-Wool Taffetas, Panamas & Silk Warp Eolliennes at 69c.

45c — For desirable remnants of 54-inch Check and Overplaid Panama Suiting, 54-in. All-Wool Mannish Suiting, 45-in. French Cheviot, Silk Barred Plaids for children's wear, Imported Silk Finished Henrietta, 54 in. Plain colored Panama Cloth, Storm Serge Habit Cloth and the like at 45c.

35c — Handsome Remnants of All Wool Panama Cloth, All Wool Two Tone Cheviots, Mixed Wool Tweed Suitings, Silk Finished Henriettas, All Wool Ladies Cloth, Green and Blue Tartan Checks and Silk Mixed Brilliantines. All desirable lengths, yard, 35c.

30c — Remnants of All Wool Black Dress Goods, choice of large assortment. 50-inch Panamas, handsome Cheviots, Zibelines, Panna Cloth, Novelty Suiting, Silk Finished Brilliantines, Whip Cord Suiting, 50-inch Etamines and the like. Fabrics, worth 50c and 75c at 30c.

These Beautiful 1.25 and 1.50 Chiffon Velvets Friday at 78c

78c per yard for beautiful all silk Chiffon Velvets, in a splendid line of colors. Many of the scarce shades of brown and navy. Values that are sure to create a sensation. Velvets that sell everywhere at 1.25 and 1.50, tomorrow at 78c.

89c for handsome White Crushed Velvet. Especially desirable for children's coats. Every piece full 32 inches wide. Velvets worth $2, at 89c.

1.25 for Charming Black Lyons Dye Silk Paon Velvet. In great demand this season. Sells regularly at $2 the yard, priced specially at 1.25.

39c per yard for handsome All-Silk Messaline de Soie, in all colors and white, cream and black. Every piece labeled "Manufactured for Siegel-Cooper & Co." Beautiful 24-inch silk. Quality we sell at 69c the yard, for this Special Sale Friday at 39c.

Lustrous Black Silks at 59c, 69c and 75c

59c for $1 24-inch Black Chiffon Taffeta. Pure silk. Sold regularly at 1.00 yard.

69c for 1.00 Black All-Silk Baratheas. Especially made for mufflers.

75c for 1.25 24-inch Black All-Silk Louisines. Pure silk fabric.

3 Splendid Values in Wash Goods

19c for 25c to 35c Silk Mulls, plain, dotted & printed. All good desirable lengths and colorings. Really splendid fabrics at the Friday price.

29c for 50c to 75c Remnants of silk mixed Jacquards, Figured Eolliennes, Imported Voiles, Silk Mixed Ginghams, etc.

15c for 29c highly Mercerized Suiting. All colors, also silk mulls. Plain & dotted. Just the proper weight for this season.

Bargains in Mussed Linens

Extra Friday bargains in Mussed Linens from our great Thanksgiving Sale lots. Must clean up all the soiled and handled goods regardless of original price.

At 19c Japanese Doilies, Cluny Lace Doilies. Plain Linen and Damask Tray Cloths and Center Pieces, worth regularly from 25c to 50c.

At 39c Battenberg Centers and hemstitched Linen and Damask Center Pieces and Scarfs, also odd half dozen Table Napkins, worth regularly from 50c to $1.

At 75c Center Pieces, Scarfs, Shams and Lunch Cloths, worth regularly from $1 to $1.50.

At $1 Fringed and Hemstitched Table and Lunch Cloths, odd half dozen plain and Hemstitched Napkins. Buttonholed Battenberg and Torchon Lace Centers, worth regularly from 1.50 to $2.

22c for 39c 60-inch Bleached Damask Remnants.

48c for 60c to 85c Bleached, Silver Bleached and Cream Damask Remnants.

69c for 75c to $1 72-in. All-Linen Bleached, Unbleached and Silver Bleached Damask Rem'ts.

Big Purchase Mismated Gloves, 25c

Secured from a Large Manufacturer His Entire Stock of Odd Gloves for Men, Women and Children.

25c — In this lot are Men's Working Gloves, Men's Kid Gloves, lined and unlined, Children's Lined Gloves and Women's Winter Gloves in many styles, including the popular Gauntlet style. They're paired so closely that in many cases you'd never know they're mismated unless told.

They'll serve you just as well as gloves you'd have to pay $1 or $1.50 for. At 25c the pair, it would be wise to buy enough to last all this season.

17c for Misses' Golf Gloves, plain colors and fancy combinations.

50c for Boys' and Men's Fleece Lined Gloves, Astrachan backs, clasp wrist.

18c for Men's and Boys' Jersey Gloves. Leather between fingers.

Bargains in Groceries and Fish

1 Siegel Stamp for Each 10c Spent.

23 lbs. Granulated Sugar, Havemeyer & Elder's best, for $1 with purchase of $1 worth of Tea or Coffee. **$1**

Flour—Hazel-Premium, in wood only, per bbl., **4.70**

Pure Lard—Swift's Silver Leaf Lard, large pail, 1.20; medium pail, 64c; small pail, **38c**

Gundarall Coffee, our special blends of the finest imported Coffees, noted for their delicious aroma and fragrant cup qualities, 3 lbs. in canister for $1; lb., **36c**

High grade Butterine, Braun & Fitts' Holstein, 5-lb net in drum, 73c; lb., **15c**

New Teas, choice of Basket Fired Japan, Formosa Oolong, India Ceylon, Sun Dried Japan or English Breakfast, 10 lbs. net, 4.45; 5 lbs. net, 2.30; lb., **50c**

Lenox Laundry Soap, Procter & Gamble make. Tomorrow 10 bars at **28c**

Fancy Lake Superior White Fish, pound, **15c**

Fancy No. 1 Lake Trout, **12c**

Strictly fresh caught Beach Bass, pound, **18c**

Strictly fresh caught Wall-eyed Pike, **15c**

Strictly fresh caught Pickerel, pound, **12c**

Strictly fresh caught Cisco, pound, **10c**

Strictly fresh caught Lake Herring, lb., **8c**

Strictly fresh caught Lake Perch, pound, **8c**

Strictly fresh Boston Haddocks, pound, **8c**

Strictly fresh Boston Flounders, pound, **8c**

Large Fancy Frog Legs, doz. **22c**

Strictly fresh Halibut Steaks, pound, **12c**

Strictly fresh Codfish Steaks, pound, **11c**

Strictly fresh Salmon Steaks, pound, **15c**

Strictly fresh No. 1 Smelts, pound, **12c**

Strictly fresh Smoked Finnan Haddies, per pound, **10c**

Strictly fresh Smoked White Fish, pound, **14c**

Solid Meat Standard Oysters, quart, **30c**

Solid Meat New York Counts, quart, **40c**

Large Cohawk Clams, per dozen, **12c**

Holland Milchner Herring, 14-lb. keg, special, **98c**

After Thanksgiving Holiday Sale of Children's Wear!

"Buster Brown" Shoes!

Best Wearing Shoes for Young Folks. Come in All Leathers and Lasts. Every Pair Bears Our Guarantee.

1.35 for Children's "Buster Brown" School Shoes. Button and blucher pattern. Made from prime kid and calf skin. Neat extension soles on Buster "Playmate" lasts. Sizes 5 to 8.

1.65 for Children's "Buster Brown" School Shoes. Box calf, blucher, with panel tops. Full Baltimore extension soles on Buster "Mischief" last. Sizes 8½ to 11½. Perfect fitting.

2.25 for Misses' Buster Brown dress shoes. Button and lace pattern with dull undressed kid top. Neat flexible soles on "Sister Jane" lasts. Sizes 12 to 2. Neat and very dressy.

2.00 for Little Men's Gun Metal calf skin shoes with hooks "Like Dad's" Mannish lasts just like father wears. Sizes 9 to 13½.

Winter Coats for Girls

From That Great Purchase From F. Siegel & Bros.

This Coat 3.50

These Coats bought in our great purchase will cause a furore in this section. All sizes, all colors, for girls from 6 to 14.

15.00 for 25.00 Coats	7.98 for 12.50 Coats
5.00 for 8.75 Coats	3.98 for 6.50 Coats
1.50 for 2.75 Coats	6.98 for 10.75 Coats
2.50 for 4.75 Coats	

475 Coats for Misses

Specially made in these sizes. Siegel's are known for their Stunning Coats for Misses and Small Women.

15.00 for 27.50 Coats	12.00 for 22.50 Coats
5.00 for 9.50 Coats	9.98 for 17.50 Coats

Warm Underwear and Sturdy Hose for Young Boys and Girls

29c for Misses' Cream color Jersey rib fleece lined Vests and Pants. Sizes to fit to 16 years.

25c for Boys' Flat fleeced Jaeger color Shirts and Drawers, sizes 24 to 34.

12½c for Children's fine rib black fleece lined hose. All sizes 6 to 9.

35c for Children's part wool shirts and drawers that sell regular at 75c for size 34. A lot of broken sizes and all at one price.

15c for Boys' heavy fine black cotton hose. Just the hosiery for growing boys.

Little Tots' Bath Robes at 98c

98c — Children's Eiderdown Bath Robes, with hood and worsted girdle. Just like the cut. Come in white, red and light blue. Special tomorrow, 98c.

2.95 for Children's "Bear Skin" and Astrakhan Coats. Double breasted with rolling collar. Sizes to 6 yrs.

4.95 for Astrakhan Coats. Double breasted, collar and cuffs of solid black astrakhan.

29c for Children's Knit Leggins. Solid white with leather straps.

29c for Children's White Lawn Aprons. Trimmed with hemstitched ruffle. All sizes.

SIEGEL COOPER & CO
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Great Triple Purchase and Triple Sale of
Men's & Boys' Clothing

Three Great Stocks, Consisting of

3,300 Men's Overcoats

2,950 Men's Suits

From Werthan & Hanauer, 704-706 Broadway, N. Y.

4,500 Pairs of Men's Trousers

From Rose Bros., 715 Broadway, N. Y.

2,500 Boys' & Youths' Overcoats

2,100 Boys' & Youths' Suits

From Julius Herrman & Co., 14-16 Washington Place, N. Y.

We can't begin to tell the tenth part of the bargains afforded by this, the greatest sale of clothing we have ever announced!

15,300 garments are included in this sale at actual savings of 45%!

These purchases involve the entire overstock of these three well known makers of clothing at savings so sensational as to positively eclipse every previous sale in these lines! A brief study of the values that follow will prove convincing, when it is remembered that you have the absolute assurance of Siegel, Cooper & Co. that every value is exactly as stated.

Men's $10 Overcoats $5

All sizes, 34 to 44. Plain black and dark oxford gray. Regular $10 value. $5.

Men's $15 Overcoats 8.50

Splendid garments. Strictly all-wool fabrics. Made to sell at 12.50.

Men's 17.50 Overcoats $10

All sizes, 34 to 46; all wool fabric. Stylish well made coats far superior to a great many at 17.50 elsewhere.

Men's $25 Overcoats $15

All sizes, 34 to 46; some of the most desirable styles and fabrics shown this season. Every one perfect in style and workmanship.

Men's Overcoats 16.50

16.50 for Men's Overcoats. Hand tailored throughout. A big assortment of extreme or conservative styles. Imported & domestic fabrics

Men's Overcoats 17.50

17.50 for Men's Overcoats. Positively the finest to be had at the price. Every garment thoroughly constructed by the most skilled workmen. Far superior to those made by a great many high priced tailors.

Men's 12.50 Suits $7

All sizes, 34 to 44. Strictly all-wool fabrics. Stylish gray mixtures. Cut in the latest styles.

Men's $15 Suits 8.50

Splendid new suits in the very latest styles. All wool fabrics.

Men's 17.50 Suits $10

These suits are far ahead of a great many sold elsewhere at 17.50. Style and workmanship absolutely correct.

Men's $20 Suits 12.95

Single and double breasted styles. Fine English worsteds, cheviots, etc. Extra well made.

High Grade Suits $15

$15 for men's high-grade suits. Perfect in style and workmanship. Every suit is a model of fashion. Finest imported and domestic fabrics.

Men's Swagger Suits 17.50

17.50 for Men's Swagger Suits. Far superior to a great many merchant tailor productions. Finest foreign and domestic fabrics. Hand tailored throughout.

These splendid values in Trousers are afforded by this purchase of 4,500 pairs at savings of nearly half.

Men's 2.50 Trousers	Men's 3.00 Trousers	Men's 3.50 Trousers	Men's 4.00 Trousers
1.50	$2	2.50	2.95

This Sale of Boys' Clothing Affords Beyond a Shadow of Doubt the Best Values Chicago Has Ever Seen for Youths, Boys and Children!

Boys' $5 Overcoats 2.50

Cut long and full. Dark Oxford Gray Fabrics. Sizes 8 to 16 years.

Boys' $6 Overcoats 3.50

All sizes, 3 to 16 years. Handsome Russian Coats for the little chaps and Nobby Long Overcoats for the larger boys.

Boys' 7.50 and 8.50 Long Overcoats and Reefers at $5

All sizes, 3 to 16 years. Some of the very best styles of the season. Choose from hundreds of coats.

Boys' $4 All-Wool Suits at $2

Of good, heavy and durable fabrics. Neat dark patterns. All sizes, 8 to 16 years. Positively $4.00 values.

Boys' 4.50 Suits $3

Norfolk and plain double breasted styles. Choice of knickerbocker or knee trousers.

Boys' $5 and $6 Suits 3.50

All sizes 3 to 16 years. Splendid stylish suits that would sell at $5 and $6 ordinarily.

Boys' Finest Suits $5

Boys' finest suits. Many smart styles and patterns. Best imp. and domestic materials.

Youths' $10 Long Overcoats 6.50

All-wool dark oxford gray and plain black materials. Broad shoulders.

BLACKS DISCHARGE THE ONLY COURSE.

Chicago Investigator Declares President Could Not Have Acted Otherwise.

NEGRO DEFENSE UNJUST.

Gen. Nettleton Declares Attempt to Make Dismissed Men Martyrs Is Grotesque.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Gen. A. B. Nettleton, Chicago, formerly assistant secretary of the treasury, has addressed a letter to the secretary of war giving the result of his personal investigation into the trouble at Brownsville, Tex., which led to the dismissal by President Roosevelt of three companies of negro troops.

Gen. Nettleton made the investigation at the request of a committee of Brownsville citizens in order to set aright misunderstanding and answer critics of the president's course. Briefly, Gen. Nettleton declares that the president followed the only course possible under the circumstances and that the persistent attempt to make martyrs of the dismissed negroes is grotesque.

Confirms Action of President.

Gen. Nettleton's letter says in part:

"As a citizen of Illinois, as an anti-slavery advocate when that phrase had a meaning, and as a veteran who served in the union army throughout the civil war, I shall at least not be suspected of prejudice against men of color.

"Without rehearsing details, I wish to assure you that this absolutely unprejudiced investigation, made after local excitement had subsided, confirms in every particular the conclusions reached by the two army officers sent here by the war department, on the strength of which the president took his action, as well as the clear and temperate statement published immediately after the tragedy by Chairman Kelly of the Brownsville citizens' committee."

After summarizing facts as to the killing of one citizen, the wounding of the chief of police, the firing of volleys into and through hotels, saloons, and many private residences, and the terrorizing of the entire town, the letter continues:

"The well attested evidence is that the colored troops were treated here with the same consideration with which colored soldiers of like bearing are treated in most garrison towns of the northern states; that, on the other hand, the street conduct of some of them was often aggressively and causelessly insolent toward white men and women; that there was no provocation for the murderous raid by the soldiers, unless it can be called a provocation that the drinkers among them were provided with separate bars in certain saloons, and that on two occasions individual insolence was resented by individual citizens, both of which happened to have been republican federal officials.

"Simply a Cowardly Conspiracy."

"There was no 'riot' and no 'street row,' as many newspapers persist in calling the occurrence. It was simply a most cowardly conspiracy to terrify, wound, and kill unoffending men, women, and children at the hour of midnight, when defense or resistance was impossible, and was not even attempted. Evidently not an opposing shot was fired.

"In view of the facts as I find them here, the persistent attempt on the part of some to make martyrs of any portion of the discharged men would be appalling, if it were not grotesque. The conspiracy of silence on the part of all members of the battalion prevents the government from punishing the previous conspiracy of violence and murder, and the separation of all alike from the service which they have disgraced becomes inevitable.

"I believe no course other than the one which the president has pursued was or is open to him, unless all semblance of a decent discipline in our army is to be ended and unless every American community, north and south alike, is to be given cause to dread the proximity from the garrison as it would be of an encampment of armed and uniformed assailants."

Maj. Penrose Must Explain.

Maj. Charles W. Penrose, who was in command of the battalion of the Twenty-fifth infantry at the time of the outbreak at Brownsville, is to be called to account because he lost control of his emotions when he saw the last of his soldiers mustered out of service "without honor." According to a dispatch telegraphed east from Fort Reno, Okla., where the last of the colored soldiers were mustered out of the service, Maj. Penrose was quoted as saying:

"Here goes the last of the best disciplined, best behaved, and best regulated battalion in the United States army."

When Maj. Penrose made this statement, according to Gilchrist Stewart, a negro from New York, who was out at Fort Reno investigating the situation, he was asked:

"Is that statement for publication?"

"It certainly is," replied the major, "and I will vouch for it anywhere, backed by my army record. I will add that there was but little evidence to convict these brave men. No court in the world would consider the charges seriously."

Choice Same as Pitcher's.

Maj. Penrose has been asked for an explanation. If he admits having made the remarks in question he probably will be court martialed because of his violation of army regulation, which explicitly forbids criticism of superior officers.

Maj. Penrose was not at all alone in expressing emotion when the men finally were mustered out. Every one of the officers had the same feeling, and reports received here indicate that among the white men there was not a dry eye when the last of the black soldiers surrendered his rifle and was finally mustered out of the service of the United States.

Maj. Penrose Not Talking Now.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Nov. 28.—Maj. Penrose of Fort Reno tonight said:

"I am being investigated, and any report I have to make will be sent to Washington. I have nothing to say now."

Maj. Penrose declined either to confirm or deny the report that he had characterized the discharged negro troops as the best battalion in the United States army.

Burn Negro Schoolhouse in St. Louis.

East St. Louis, Ill., Nov. 28.—A large brick building at 1400 Missouri avenue, which was leased last week by the board of education for a negro school, was destroyed by fire today, and there is evidence that prejudice against the establishment of a school for negroes caused the building to be set on fire. This is the second building leased for a negro school that has been burned within the last two weeks.

COX TO STUDY CLIMATE ABROAD

Weather Forecaster Leaves for Extended European Trip—Will Compare Methods of Observation.

H. J. Cox, local government weather forecaster, left on a two months' vacation for Europe last night, and will sail from New York on the Corona on Saturday. While he is away the local department will be in charge of Frank H. Bigelow of Washington.

Prof. Cox will meet his wife and son at Munich, and will spend some time in England, France, Germany, Austria, and Spain, visiting the principal government observatories and generally investigating the manner of forecasting.

Just before leaving for the east, he finished and sent to the government officials at Washington an exhaustive report on the condition of the cranberry marshes of Wisconsin, which he has been several years in preparing.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

$25 REWARD AND POSITIVELY NO QUESTIONS asked for return of alligator suitcase and contents taken Wednesday evening from 3628 Indiana-av. Address H 360, Tribune.

LOST—ON INDIANA-AV. CAR AT 5:20 LAST evening, large traveler's grip. Return to W. B. THOMPSON, 3500 Ellis-av.

This Store Will Be Closed All Day Today

ROTHSCHILD AND COMPANY
STATE & VANBUREN STREETS

Friday Purchases Charged on December Account

Friday Red-Letter Day

10 S. & H. Green Stamps Free to Everybody

All day Friday Ten (10) "S. & H." Green Stamps Free to every visitor, and a host of splendid bargains on every floor.

Sensational special sales in every department arranged for the purpose of making November Red-Letter Day long to be remembered by those who share in its tremendous money saving.

Red-Letter Day Stamps are Free to every one and good in any S. & H. Green Stamp book.

Twenty (20) "S. & H." Green Stamps Free in every new book Friday, Red-Letter Day.

Stirring Friday Sale Suits, Overcoats and Cravenettes

Overcoats of black, blue, brown and oxford gray kerseys, meltons and frieze, 44 to 48 inches long, tourist overcoats, choice dark all wool Scotches, double and single breasted, 52 in. long.

Suits of dark fancy worsteds, pure wool cassimeres and black thibets,

Cravenettes of neat dark worsteds, medium and dark gray cassimeres, sizes 34 to 46, all $12.00 values.

Overcoats, Suits or Cravenettes worth $12 6.50

Men's $3 Heavy Wool Cassimere and Fancy Worsted Pants, 1.85

Men's 6.50 Sheepskin Lined Corduroy and Duck Coats, 3.50

Youths' $10 Overcoats and Suits, $5

Overcoats are long Oxford and black frieze and meltons and Scotch tourist mixtures, $10 values, 5.00

Suits are neat dark fancy worsteds and heavy all wool Scotches, sizes 31 to 36 chest measure, a snap for small men, $10 values, at 5.00

Boys' 2.50 Heavy Durable Pants, priced at 95c.

Youths' 1.50 Odd Vests, sizes 30 to 37, at 50c.

Boys' $4 and $5 Overcoats, Reefers and Suits, 2.25; Ages 3 to 17 years can choose from 800 suits, overcoats and reefers. Small lots and odds Friday at 2.25

Children's 2.50 and $3 Overcoats, Reefers and Suits, 1.25; Reefers and Russian Overcoats, Russian Sailor and Buster Suits, ages 3 to 10, and double breasted knee suits, ages 10 to 16, at 1.25

600 pairs Knee Pants, half price and less: 50c and 75c Pants, ages 3 to 10, **25c;** $1 Knee Pants, ages 4 to 17, **45c** | 1.50 Bloomer or Knicker Pants, ages 3 to 17, **65c.**

Mandel Brothers

For a man's eye

IT HAS been sagely said that "There are none so blind as those who won't see." Every day we observe this great truth illustrated in the lives and actions of those around us. "To err is human," but true judgment lies in not making the same mistake twice.

Take the clothes subject, for instance: Truly wonderful progress has been made in ready-for-service garments, particularly in the Brokaw Brothers and Mandel "Special" clothes for men—achievements in clothes craftsmanship which eliminate all need of the custom tailor.

Yet there remain thousands of men who are blind to the wisdom of wearing anything not especially created by their tailor—who will not even give the subject the attention it so richly deserves. But the light is breaking slowly and surely, and, best of all, it is breaking permanently.

New Wabash avenue building—first floor, of course

THE ONLY ONE

There is only One Genuine Syrup of Figs,

The Genuine is Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

The full name of the company, California Fig Syrup Co., is printed on the front of every package of the genuine.

The Genuine Syrup of Figs is for Sale, in Original Packages Only, by Reliable Druggists Everywhere

Knowing the above will enable one to avoid the fraudulent imitations made by piratical concerns and sometimes offered by unreliable dealers. The imitations are known to act injuriously and should therefore be declined.

Buy the genuine always if you wish to get its beneficial effects. It cleanses the system gently yet effectually, dispels colds and headaches when bilious or constipated, prevents fevers and acts best on the kidneys, liver, stomach and bowels, when a laxative remedy is needed by men, women or children. Many millions know of its beneficial effects from actual use and of their own personal knowledge. It is the laxative remedy of the well-informed.

Always buy the Genuine Syrup of Figs

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CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

Louisville, Ky. San Francisco, Cal. New York, N.Y.

PRICE FIFTY CENTS PER BOTTLE

Tom & Buster

RESOLVED, THAT—

We are thankful there are so many people who want to see these overcoats and suits Tom Murray is selling at $10.00, for they are thankful to find out there is one man anyhow who does actually sell suits and overcoats at $10.00 sold in other stores at $15.00 and $20.00. Tom is buying overcoats and suits every day, now days, so cheap on account of this continued warm weather. He scalps when he buys. He "scalps the profits" when he sells. Tom is not fool enough to advertise what he does not do.

BUSTER.

Mission Bookcase. Price $21.00.

THE only records today of an early civilization along the Pacific coast are those left by the monks of California. Their books, their furniture and the ruins of their monasteries are all that is left. Their books were few and highly prized, necessitating proper care. That necessity produced the mission bookcase in the same simple designs and beautiful lines that have made this style of furniture famous.

We are the only store in Chicago selling mission furniture of pure design.

Storey's Mission Set of 4 pieces for the children, only $1.00.

Storey Furniture Co., 295-297 Wabash-av.

Tribune Ads. Bring Results

A MILLION HAPPY AMERICAN CHILDREN are kept healthy with CASCARETS Candy Cathartic. Good words spoken by their mamas for CASCARETS to other mamas have made CASCARETS successful until the sale now is OVER A MILLION BOXES A MONTH. Why do little folks like CASCARETS? Because they are a sweet, palatable, fragrant little tablet—taste good, do good—never grip nor gripe, but act gently, naturally, positively. Medicine that a child dislikes will not do it much good. Children are always ready to take CASCARETS, THE PERFECT HOME MEDICINE, ask for them and are kept healthy always and safe against the dangers of childhood's ailments. Best for the Bowels. All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. Genuine tablet stamped CCC. Sample and booklet free. Address STERLING REMEDY CO., Chicago or New York.

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CANDY CATHARTIC
THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

ANNUAL SALE—TEN MILLION BOXES
Greatest in the World

Eating today—store closed.

Heating to-morrow—men's winter clothes, hats and furnishings.

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ASK PITY ON SALESG

CLUB WOMEN URGE ALL CHRISTMAS BUYING NO

Also Demand That Store Owne for Overtime During the Hol Plans Being Made to Hold Industrial Conference in Building During First Two of March, with Speakers fr Parts of the Country.

Women who wait until the eleve to do their Christmas shopping w the wrath of the club women of Chic employers who do not pay their for overtime during the holidays— things will happen to them.

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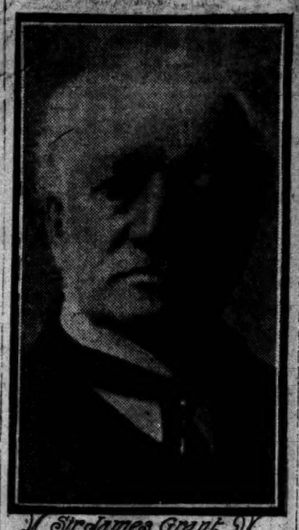

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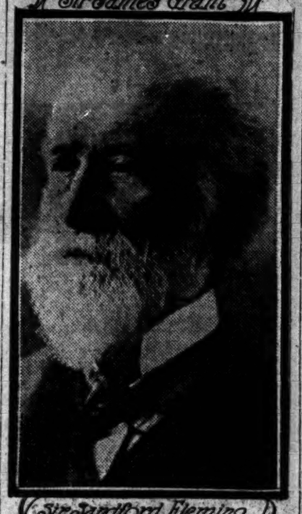

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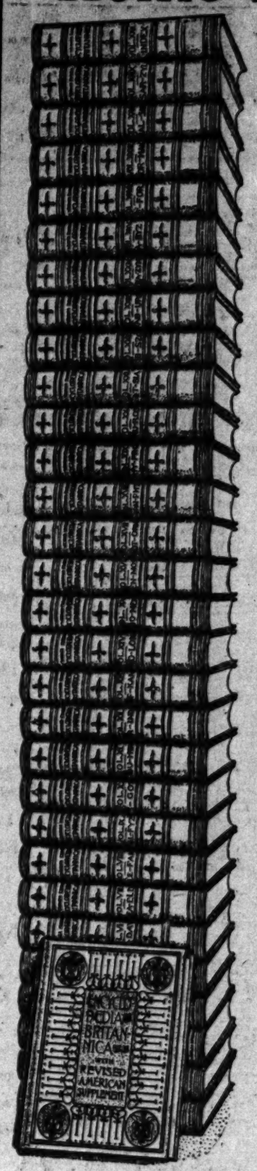

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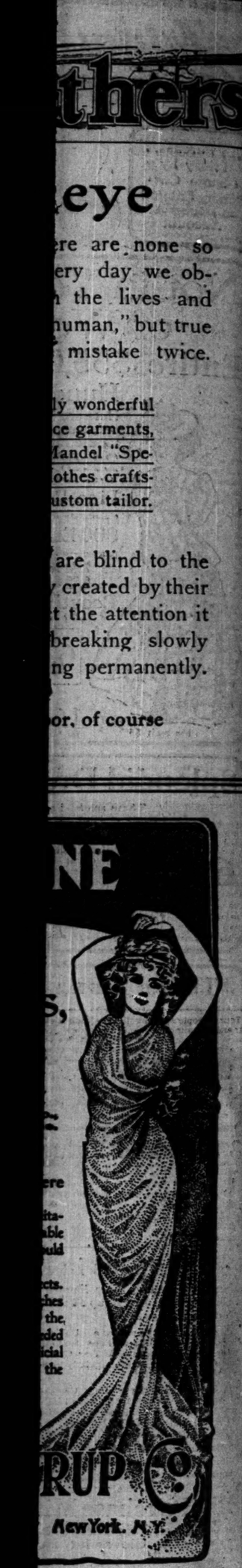

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DAYS OF BONDAGE OVER.

Debtors Have Disappeared Until Now Every Farmer in Middle West Is a Bank Visitor.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—The annual report of James Wilson, secretary of agriculture, was made public today. The prosperity of the farmer and the enormous development and progress of agriculture form the dominant theme of the report, a voluminous document, covering 103 printed pages.

Following is a condensed synopsis of the topic of general interest covered in the report:

The laws made by congress at its last session to be executed by the department have required and received special attention. The meat law is being enforced, and inspection is now made in over 1,000 houses. Not less than 1,300 experts have been added to the inspection force. Rules have been prepared for the execution of the pure food law. A beginning has been made in the method of determining the grading of grain, and the law providing for the humane treatment of live stock in transit is receiving careful attention.

Value of Crops Rush Up.

The economic revolution in the art and science of agriculture continued during 1906, with tremendous results on the national prosperity. The value of crops continues to rush forward beyond comprehension; crops are straining the freight carrying ability of the railroads. The farm products of the year have a farm value of nearly $6,800,000,000, nearly $500,000,000 above the value of 1905, and exceeding by over $2,000,000,000 the figures for the last census.

Corn remains by far the most valuable crop, estimated at $1,100,000,000. Next comes the cotton crop, which, including the seed, should be worth to the growers nearly $640,000,000. The value of hay, which is third in order, approaches $800,000,000. Wheat, the fourth crop, may be worth $450,000,000; oats, $300,000,000; potatoes, $150,000,000. Barley, with a value of $65,000,000, shows a gain of 21 per cent in production in the last seven years. The tobacco crop will be worth about $55,000,000. A remarkable development is that of the sugar beet, now the ninth crop in value. The production in 1906 is placed at 345,000 long tons, valued at $34,000,000. Seven years ago the value of this crop was $7,000,000. The value of all kinds of sugar, sirup, and molasses aggregates $75,000,000.

Farm Exports Break Records.

The farm still overshadows the mill, the factory, and the workshop in providing exports, and with his surplus beyond the nation's need the farmer has loaded the fleets of oceans. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 1906, this surplus has been exported to the value of $976,000,000, the largest amount ever reached by agricultural exports for this or any other country and exceeding the export value of 1901, previously the record year. Among chief exports cotton maintains a long lead, with a value of $400,000,000. The packing house products exported amounted to a value of $207,000,000.

If real estate, domestic animals, other live stock, implements, and machinery are included, the farmer's capital has increased since the census valuation by probably $8,000,000,000, the present valuation being probably $28,000,000,000.

The report contains some interesting figures on meat production, the result of a recent large and searching investigation by the department. In the last census year, 1900, 23,502,000 meat animals were slaughtered and exported. Meat contributes one-third or more of the total assimilated nutrients of the national dietary, and at average exceeded $2,000,000,000.

'WINDOW WASHER' HERE TODAY

Man Accused of Theft in Great Northern Hotel to Arrive from New York.

The "window washer," Oscar Werner, alias Frank V. Van Ree, wanted for alleged robberies at the Great Northern hotel and other downtown hotels, will arrive from New York today.

According to Detective Frank Repetto of the Congress Hotel company, Werner obtained work at the Great Northern Nov. 1 last as a window washer. On Nov. 5 articles of value were missed and Werner disappeared. He was traced to New York and arrested there.

When caught Werner had a bunch of brass keys for the Great Northern, Auditorium, and Annex hotels and the Palmer house in Chicago, Astor and Astoria in New York, and for Vassar college. He also had fifty stickpins set with diamonds, rubies, and other precious stones, gold lockets studded with diamonds, gold and diamond medals, gold and silver watches, and other articles. He has a safety deposit box in the Masonic temple.

His method of work is exactly similar to that of the man who robbed Anna Held of $40,000 worth of gems and Lillian Russell of $1,500 worth.

GIRL LEADER OF HORSE THIEVES

Arrest Followed by Confession, Which Results in Member of Gang Being Taken Into Custody.

Marion, Ind., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Miss Elva Sherrill, 18 years of age, was arrested at a theater last night and today confessed that she was the leader of a band of horse thieves, having herself stolen three horses recently and designated others to be stolen. As a result of the confession John Fisher was arrested charged with horse stealing. Miss Sherrill has given the names of two other members of the gang for whom the police are looking.

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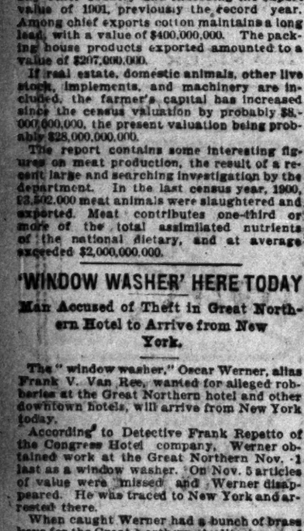

REAL ESTATE NEWS AND TRANSFERS.

The Northern Trust company has bought two more pieces of property for the Northwestern road along the latter's new right of way on the west side. John Hewitt, president of the Miehle Printing Press company, is the grantor in one transaction, conveying the property in Milwaukee avenue, 75 feet southwest of Jefferson street, 90x150 feet, west front, for $30,000. Mr. Hewitt took title to this property a short time ago, and it was given out by him that he had bought the property on his own account.

The other transfer comprises 25x98½ feet in Elizabeth street, 197 feet south of Austin avenue, conveyed by S. O. Olin, for $3,750.

Buys Apartment House Property.

Christian A. Londelius has sold to Frederick S. Tyrrell the apartment house property at the northwest corner of Douglas boulevard and Fillmore street, 40x125 feet, for $40,000, with incumbrance of $21,500. In part payment the purchaser conveyed 25x125 feet in Park avenue, 100 feet west of South Forty-third avenue, north front, and other property valued at $19,000.

Christian L. Lund has bought from Jacob C. Schlesswohl the property at the southwest corner of Ridge and Phyllis avenues, Rogers Park, 250x150 feet, for $25,000.

Sells Wabash Avenue Realty.

Henry Lesch, for Mrs. E. A. Phillips, has sold through Burt J. Fitzgerald to Lafayette McWilliams the property at 1716 Wabash avenue, 25x170 feet, east front, for $20,000. Old improvements are on the property.

For a nominal consideration Mrs. Lillian J. Reinhardt has quitclaimed to the American States Security company the residence property in North State street, sixty feet north of Burton place, 30x120 feet, west front.

Maurice Pulver, through Burt J. Fitzgerald, has purchased blocks 17 to 25, in section 6, in Cicero, south of La Vergne, near the drainage canal, for $10,500 cash.

Collins & Morris are building an eighteen flat building at the southwest corner of Jefferson avenue and Fiftieth street, to cost $90,000, and a twelve flat building at 4535 Woodlawn avenue, to cost $70,000.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Ridge-av., s w cor of Phillips, 250x150, Nov. 26 [Jacob C. Schlesswohl to Christian L. Lund] $2,500

LAKE VIEW.

Bittersweet-pl., n e cor of Clarendon-av., e f, 160x100, Nov. 14 [C. T. & T. Co., trustee to Gertrude Tibbitt] 7,000
Giddings-st., 117 w of Ravenswood, s f, 30x122, incumb. $2,000, Nov. 27 [C. T. Fritas to Mary A. Burger] 4,800
St. Anthony's-st., 58 s of Ainslie-st., w f, 29x119, incumb. $3,800, Nov. 14 [same to same] 3,800
St. Anthony's-st., 87 s of Bernard-av., w f, 25x123, Nov. 24 [H. Turnbull to Allan J. Carr] 2,150
Wrightwood-av., 1 e cor s of 524, s f, 184x124, Nov. 24, 1906 [G. F. Koester to Herman Behman and wife] 2,400

NORTH TOWN.

Rawson-st., n w cor McHenry-st., w f, 80x118, Nov. 26 [C. Barsholmay to City of Chicago Investment company] 2,300
Smith-av., 140 s of Weed-st., s f, 125x200, Nov 5 [S. A. Robbins to William A. Hauska] 10,000
State-st., 60 n of Burton-pl., w f, 30x120, April 24, 1906 [Lillian J. Reinhardt, quit claims to American States Security Co.] 1

SOUTH TOWN.

Michigan-av., 1501, 30x161, incumb. $7,500, Nov. 26 [William E. Johnson to Max Goldenberg] 40,500
Prince-st., 194 s of 25th-st., s f, 25x124, Nov. 27 [C. Baldowski to Augusta Walthers] 3,000
Michigan-av., 150 n of 35th-st., w f, 50x141, Oct. 10 [William C. Seipp to William E. Johnson] 21,250
South Park-av., 241 s of 51st-st., e f, 80x177½, Nov. 26 [J. G. Parker to John Holdt] 4,500
20th-st., 225 w of Wentworth-av., s f, 22 1-2x100, Nov. 27 [Heirs of Lodie Devine to Will J. Stanton] 1
Wabash-av., 190 n of 18th-st., e f, 22x170, Nov. 26 [Elizabeth Gelnish to Lafayette McWilliams] 20,000

HYDE PARK.

47th-pl., 135 e of Cottage Grove-av., s f, 1 4-x129, incumb. $2,500, Nov. 27 [O. J. Thomas to Morris Hensell] 1
[illegible]th-st., 330 e of Prairie-av., n f, 50x200, Nov. 10 [M. F. Lane to Elisa Dal Santo] 8,650
Palmer-av., 248 s of 73d-av., w f, 50x124, Nov. 27 [George G. McKoy to Margaret Snell] 2,700
St. Lawrence-av., 2234, 181x125, Nov. 14 [James L. Lee to Marie Malcheff] 5,250
Selpo-av., 162 n of 70th-st., w f, 50x125, Nov. 21, [Adeline Lansing to Aaron C. Wendell] 4,000
Wabash-av., 101 s of Garfield-blvd., e f, 25x161, und. int. incumb. $2,500, Nov. 26 [L. L. Blake to Frank D. Buehaus] 6,250
Woodlawn-av., 200 n of 65th-st., e f, 50x80, Nov. 29 [Louise Dunn to Josure Napoleon Bureau and wife] 4,250

LAKE.

Normal-av., s w cor 64th-st., e f, 50x125, April 21 [T. Barnum trustee, to Jennie E. Caswell] 5,000
63st-st., s w cor Bishop, s f, 50x115½ and q. d., Oct. 6 [estate William L. Scott to John D. Hoffman] 3,000
State-st., 125 s of 39th, e s, 25x100, Nov. 24 [Jeremiah W. Dowd to Charles Nehrs] 4,000
Western-av., s w cor 62d-st., s f, 94x125 and q. d., Nov. 26 [A. Atkinson to Lura E. Webster] 4,000

CALUMET.

Lafayette-av., 124 s of 118th-st., w f, 50x125, incumb. $1,000, Nov. 6 [W. Schum to Fred F. Tuch] 2,200
Jefferson-st., s w cor 103d, s f, 48x118, Nov. 8 [J. T. Smith to Augusta Wartwig] 2,200

WEST TOWN.

Douglas-blvd., n w cor Fillmore-st., s f, 40x125, incumb. $21,500, Nov. 8 [Christian A. Londelius to Frederick S. Tyrrell] 40,000
18th-st., s w cor Stewart-av., n f, 124x34, with 318 on Lumber-st., except part conveyed to William R. Blake, Nov. 27 [trustees of estate of Lyman Blair et al., by M. in C., to Wilson F. Blair] 180,000
Millard-av., 75 s e of Jefferson-st., s f, 80x50, Sept. 21 [John Hawkins to Northern Trust Co., trustee] 30,000
Park-av., 100 w of 43d-av., s f, 25x125 and q. c., Nov. 13 [Frederick T. Tyrrell to Christian A. Londelius] 19,000
California-av., n e cor Potomac, w f, 80x125, Nov. 6 [John E. Owens to John Baumberger] 3,000
Colorado-av., 70 e of Spaulding, s f, 30 to Adams-st., Nov. 21 [estate J. Bonfils to Vinnie Fletcher] 8,000
Cornell-st., 201 s of Ashland-av., s f, 20x90, Nov. 30 [Maria Gierke to Wlad Pluta] 2,800
Douglas-blvd., 167 n of 14th-st., 50x155, Nov. 16 [T. F. Sheridan to Henry P. Sinden] 5,900
Elizabeth-st., 197 s of Austin-av., e f, 25x98½, Nov. 26 [S. O. Olins to Northern Trust Co., trustee] 3,750
Flournoy-st., 150 w of Francisco-av., s f, 25x124, Nov. 20 [Sarah Evans to Adolph Kleiner] 5,200
Green-st., 178 s of Madison, e f, 20x100, Nov. 26 [P. J. Anderson to Rich'd Hyde] 12,000
Green-st., 100 s of Monroe, w f, 50x125, Nov. 27 [Samuel Nast to Pierre J. Anderson] 9,500
Lake-st., 109 w of Western-av., n f, 20x100, Nov. 15 [H. Haas to Cornelius P. Clancy] 2,500
Lawndale-av., 97 n of 37th-st., e f, 24x134, incumb. $1,400, Nov. 30 [J. Menebauer to Josef Halik] 3,700
Milwaukee-av., 245 s e of Logan Square, s w f, 97x100, m. or l., Nov. 24 [Chas. H. Kuehn to Mathias Boehm] 10,000
Monroe-st., 200 e of S. 45th-av., s f, 25x121½, Nov. 26 [J. C. Curtin to Ella C. Ellis] 9,750
Ohio-st., n e cor Ada, e f, 24x128, incumb. $500, Nov. 21 [Ellen H. McGregor to Osmund Larsen] 3,000
Park-av., 287 w of Keeler, s f, 22 6-8x100, incumb. $3,000, Nov. 27 [L. W. Baganza to Wm. Boyd and wife] 7,800
Ridgeway-av., s w cor 19th-st., s f, 50x150, and o. p., Nov. 23 [W. W. Esch to Wm. Esch, Sr.] 3,500
Sheldon-st., 101 s of Grand-av., e f, 25x125, incumb. $2,750, Nov. 24 [Wm. Wilson to Jane Carrick] 6,750
Spruce-st., 144 w of Loomis, n f, 24x111, Nov 20 [M. Novotny to Morris Mendelson] 5,000
Taylor-st., 125 e of May, s f, 25x125, incumb. $4,500, Nov. 26 [Chas. Lippicts to Zamach Kaplan] 10,000
12th-st., w cor Ashland-av., s f, 142x132, Nov. 27 [Orlando L. Bennett to Thos. Coburn] 10,000
12th-st., 145 e of S. 43d-av., s f, 24x132, incumb. $3,600, Nov. 27 [David Becker to Max Schultz and wife] 3,500
22d-pl., W. 241, 22x132, Nov. 19 [T. Ashcroft et al., by M. in C., to Chas. J. Hruby] 3,625
Same property, Nov. 20 [C. J. Hruby to James W. Hubka and wife] 4,000
25th-pl., 126 w of Rockwell-st., s f, 175x120, Nov. 8 [Robt. S Hotz et al. to the National Malleable Castings co.] 4,900

Building Permits.

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156 Johnson-st., 1 story brick rear addition, S. Cohen 15,000
423-34 53d-av., five 2 story frame residences, John R. Lyman 30,000
414-20 53d-av., three 2 story frame residences, John R. Lyman 18,000
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Judgments.

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Judge Gibbons—270764—Sophia K. Raml Co. vs. George H. Lyman; by defft., $224.90; sen. only.—274044—Cecil Lee Spear vs. C. Co.; on ver., $350; satisfied.

Court Calls for Today.

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COUNTY COURT.
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PROBATE COURT.
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CRIMINAL COURT.
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UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.
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Petition in Bankruptcy.

14122—Petition of E. R. Hawkins & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., F. D. Kwell, Chicago, and J. O. Chicago, to have James F. Stiles & Co., 271 Ma street, declared bankrupt.

Court Calls for Tomorrow.

Judge Kersten—Trial call, 2055, 1151, 3231 145, 010.
Judge Kavanagh—Call not extended.
Judge Pinckney—Call not extended.
Judge Mack—Call not extended.
Judge Ball—Shea case.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Cutting—Estates of Rockwell Charles P. Sovereign, Thomas A. Porter, Backley, Wasiav Zrush, Alfred J. Prebbin, S. Taylor, Andrew Rehn, J. D. Cappell.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Kohlsaat—10 a. m., motions; set 26065.
Judge Landis—10:15 a. m., motions; set 27045. 2:15 p. m., set case, 27783.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Judge Landis—10:15 a. m., motions. Set 11154, 13813. Criminal call, set case 3726.

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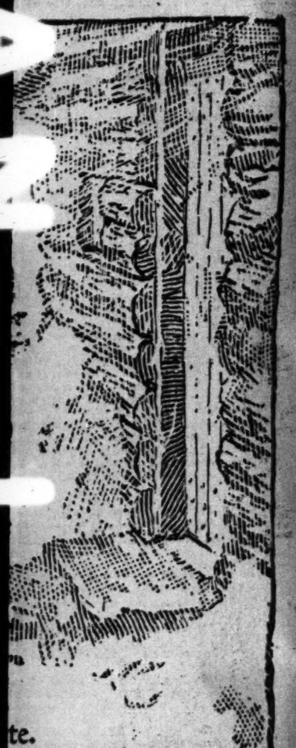

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Judge Chetlain—237092—Emma Hill vs. Marshall Jackson & Co.; on ver., $50; satisfied.—242182—Wade Jacks vs. S. H. Knox & Co.; on findg., $150; satisfied.

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Judge Gibbons—275084—Sophus E. Ramlose & Co. vs. George H. Lyman; by defft., $224.99; appel. ass. only.—276044—Cecil Lee Spear vs. C. C. Ry. Co.; on ver., $150; satisfied.

Court Calls for Today.

SUPERIOR COURT.
No court.

CIRCUIT COURT.
No court.

COUNTY COURT.
No court.

PROBATE COURT.
No court.

CRIMINAL COURT.
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UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.
No court.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

14122—Petition of E. R. Hawkins & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., F. D. Ewell, Chicago, and J. G. Grey, Chicago; have James F. Stiles & Co., 271 Madison street, declared bankrupt.

Court Calls for Tomorrow.

Judge Kersten—Trial call, 2055, 1151, 3851, 141, 1436.

Judge Kavanagh—Call not extended.

Judge Pinckney—Call not extended.

Judge Black—Call not extended.

Judge Ball—Shea case.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Cutting—Estates of Rockwell King, Charles W. Sovereign, Thomas A. Porter, John Sackier, Wasiav Zrust, Alfred J. Frebbin, John S. Taylor, Andrew Rehn, J. D. Cappell.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Kohlsaat—10 a. m., motions; set case, 2145, 2.15 p. m., set case, 27783.

Judge Landis—10:15 a. m., motions; set case, 2145, 2.15 p. m., set case, 27783.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Judge Landis—10:15 a. m., motions. Set case, 11454, 13616. Criminal call, set case 5726.

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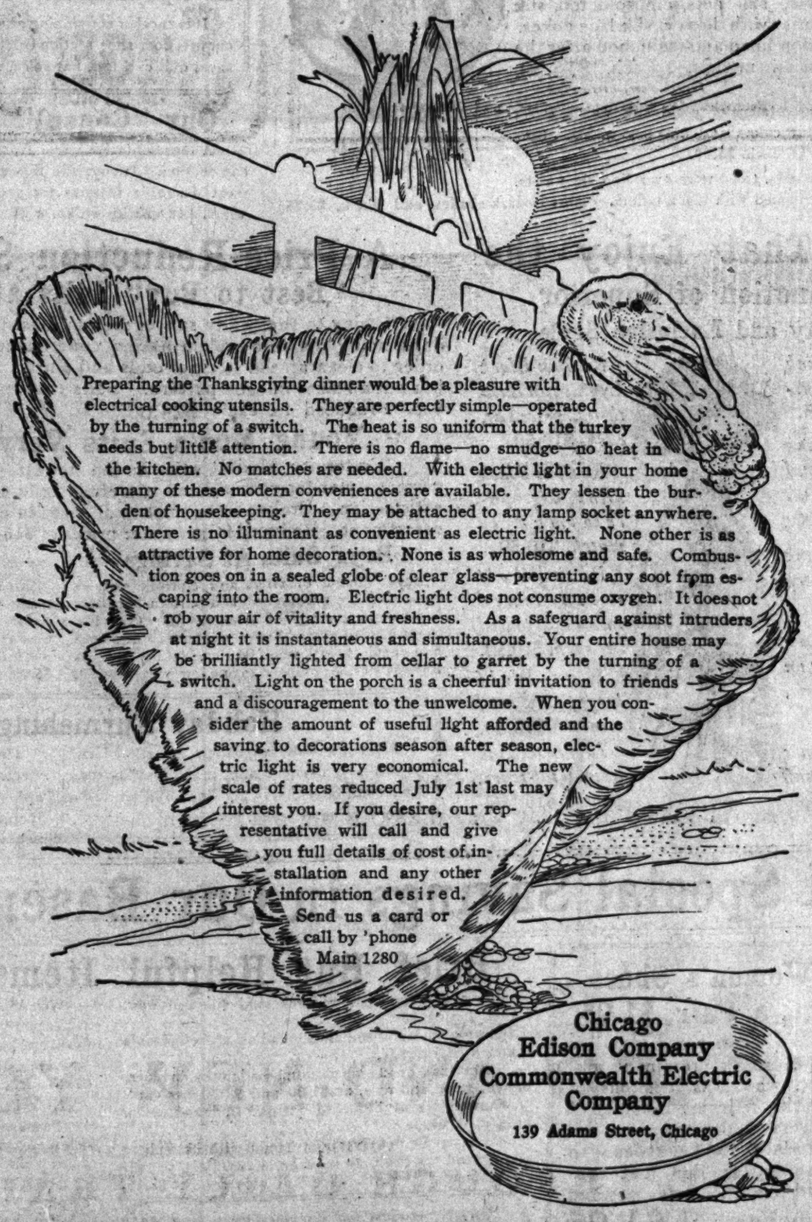

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Curtain Swiss "Farwell Stripe" 40 inches wide, at, a yard, 6c.

Dainty ruffle net curtains trimmed with Battenberg edging and insertion, 39 in. wide, 3 yds. long, pr., $1.

Women's ¾ length glace Kid gloves, pair, $2.15.

Corsets—medium and dip hips—white, drab and black, sizes 18 to 36, at each, 48c.

Sable Coney Imperial fur scarfs with ornaments, each, $1.00 and $1.75.

Hand painted china back three-piece toilet sets, $1.

Fancy wicker baskets with two bottles of good perfume, each, 25c to 50c.

Hippodrome Little Folks sets, two bottles perfume and cake of soap, each, 25c.

Fancy boxes with 4 bottles violet perfume, ea. 25c.

Women's short gloves, a good assortment colors, 25c.

Tapestry Brussels rugs—medallion effects, size 9x12, special at, each, $9.00.

Axminster rugs—oriental and floral effects, size 27x54 inch, each $1.50.

Nickel plated brass toilet paper holders, each 15c.

Two styles very handsome drop gas lamps, fitted complete, including best burner mantle, green shade dome with fancy fringe, at, complete, $6.00.

Hassocks, nicely covered with velvet and Brussels carpeting, at, each, 20c.

Men's all linen h. s. handkerchiefs, ½-inch hem, each, 6½c.

Women's checked gingham apron, with full ruffle, 25c.

Remnants baby flannel, unusual value, yard, 7c.

Stanley mills sheets, size 81x90; each, 55c.

Sample towels at, each, 3c to 50c.

A very good value in bedspreads at, each, $1.00

Knit Underwear at About Half for Women and Men

A large lot of knit underwear for women and men is offered at about half the regular prices. Women's vests and pants—winter weight, three-quarters wool in natural and white, all sizes; large assortment to select from. Reduced to close—garment, 25c

Women's vests and pants, Jersey ribbed cotton in white, all sizes, specially priced at, each, 35c; three for $1.00.

Men's merino shirts and drawers. Travelers' samples that come in large assortments, broken sizes. To close at, ea., 75c

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The plan of Mayor Dunne's school board to organize the public school system into a "democratic government," in which the teachers will decide all important educational questions by referendum vote, taking most of Supt. Cooley's power away from him, is to be carried out within a week. This announcement was made by the radical members of the school board yesterday following the announcement of the vote on the "Spelling Book Referendum."

Dr. Cornelia B. De Bey declared that as soon as the Post report is disposed of the board will be asked to adopt the report of the subcommittee on organization, which provides for the organization of all public school teachers into an advisory body to be consulted by the board on all educational questions. In addition to this main advisory body fourteen smaller advisory councils are to be formed in the different school districts. The advisory councils will report to the central body and the central council will make its report to the board of education.

Won't Discuss Agents' Campaign.

The reform members would not discuss the probability of the book agents carrying their campaign into the schools and taking up the time of the teachers in presenting the merits of the wares they have for sale.

As a result of the referendum vote, the Swinton speller, which has been the spelling text book in the schools for a quarter of a century, will be thrown out. Of the total number of valid ballots cast—4,975—163 principals and 2,307 teachers declared they would prefer a new speller to the one now in use. Thirty-five principals and 737 teachers voted for the Swinton speller, and 1,503 principals and teachers who voted failed to answer this question by "yes" or "no," and hence their ballots were not counted.

In all ten questions were submitted to the teaching force.

The present "word" study course was pronounced satisfactory by a majority of 2,507 votes. In answer to the question whether the word study could be carried on more successfully with a spelling book in the hands of the pupils or without a majority of 1,892 voted in favor of the spelling book.

How the Vote Resulted.

The vote on the other questions asked was as follows:

	Yes.	No.	Blank.
3—Do you prefer to do this work by collecting lists of words from the different text books used in the schools and from other sources by the "incidental method," as it is called?.....	2,484	2,006	488
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5—Do you believe that the selection of either system is a matter that should be dependent on the qualifications of the individual teacher?	1,748	2,909	816
6—Do you believe that a weak teacher is helped by the use of a spelling book in the hands of the pupils?...	2,779	1,677	817
7—Have you had experience in teaching "word study" by both systems?.....	2,947	2,800	226
8—Vote cannot be arranged in "yes" or "no" columns.			
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10—If the children use a spelling book, what should be its character? A—Should it be a list of words commonly misspelled?	1,656	1,814	1,508
Or B—A systematic arrangement of words considered from the standpoint of origin, meaning prefixes and suffixes, etc.?.....	2,197	995	1,851

The "blank" column contains all replies that could not be construed as either yes or no. The total of these three sections equals the total number of ballots cast in each instance.

FORCING OF SIGNATURES DENIED BY PHONE MANAGER.

A. S. Hibbard Says No Subscriber Has Been Unduly Urged to Sign Chicago Company's Petition.

Charges that the Chicago Telephone company was tampering with the service in its efforts to force subscribers into signing its petition were emphatically denied yesterday by General Manager A. S. Hibbard. He declared that the telephone girls themselves are now handling practically the entire petition, and that he had not received a single complaint that their conduct was anything but courteous.

Mr. Hibbard's open letter follows:

There has been no intention that a subscriber or telephone user should be unduly urged to sign the petition in favor of extending the ordinance of the Chicago Telephone company. It is absolutely untrue that any telephone or telephone service of any kind has been interfered with because a subscriber or user has not been willing to sign such petition.

"Nearly 270,000 signatures have been obtained expressing the opinion that the city is best served by a unified telephone system, that the plans we have proposed are in the interest of good service, and the passage of an ordinance permitting the Chicago company to extend its business upon a plan which will be mutually satisfactory to the city, the public, and to the company is urged.

It has required little argument to show that such a proposal is for the advantage of practically all citizens. We propose to reduce rates and expand and improve the telephone service in Chicago, and we are prepared to carry out immediately these proposals to the fullest extent.

INVESTIGATE DEAL BY SCHOOL BOARD.

Aldermen Decide Upon Inquiry Into Alleged Loose Methods Employed.

NO REPORT OF FINANCES.

School Committee Will Probe "Unwise" Act Charged to Former Trustees.

The school committee of the city council took another whack at Mayor Dunne's school board yesterday by appointing a subcommittee of three aldermen to investigate the methods of the board in respect to the selection and purchase of playgrounds.

The committee has a burning desire to know whether the school board has been spending its money unwisely, and, incidentally, would like to know all the details of a peculiar purchase of land for a playground made by a preceding school board for the Franklin school on Goethe street.

The investigation was precipitated by Ald. Otto Reese of the Twenty-first ward, who appeared before the committee and stated that he would like to know why two fifty foot strips of property adjoining the Franklin school site were purchased separately at different times from an employé of the school board.

Favors Holding Up Appropriations.

Mr. Reese's request came at a time when the committee had been rendered impatient by another failure of the school board to render a statement showing its financial condition. School Architect Dwight H. Perkins had carried them information to the effect that Trustee Duddleston was not ready with the report.

"It is time that these people on the school board should get busy and give us some information," said Ald. Dailey warmly. "I don't care whether they are the mayor's pets or not. We want to know something about these sites for playgrounds. The aldermen of the ward in which the playground is to be located should be consulted so that they can tell where the congestion is greatest, thereby putting the playground where it is most needed.

"Then, they have been spending money on playgrounds when it was sadly needed for schools. Until they consult us I am in favor of holding up every appropriation they send here."

Ald. Sullivan then moved that a committee of three be appointed to look into the matter, and his motion was adopted by unanimous vote. Ald. Lipps was made chairman of the investigators, which include also Ald. Sullivan and Sitts.

Ald. Reese Tells of Transaction.

Ald. Reese talked briefly of the playground matter following the meeting.

"I am told that the pieces of land were purchased when E. S. Dreyer was conducting the real estate affairs of the school board," he said. "He bought them from Mr. Spoor, an employé in the architect's office. The board must have known both pieces of property would be required, but at first only one piece, which belonged to Spoor, was purchased.

"Spoor then purchased the adjoining lot, I understand he paid about $70 a foot for it and six months later sold it to the school board for about $125 a foot. Why the school board paid out $11,000 for property I could have bought for $6,000 is a question. Wouldn't it have been a good thing for the aldermen in the ward to have been consulted? My information came from property owners in the neighborhood of the school."

TURKEY SHOOTS ARE ILLEGAL.

Illinois Humane Society Decides to Prevent Target Practice Events Under Anti-Bird Shooting Law.

The Illinois Humane society has decided that the shooting of turkeys as targets comes within the prohibition of the anti-bird shooting law of 1905. Yesterday President John L. Shortall instructed all the agents of the society to keep vigilant watch for any shooting of this sort, and the violators of the law will be prosecuted.

The Value of Charcoal

Few People Know How Useful it is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Costs Nothing to Try.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

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All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath, and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but, on the contrary, great benefit.

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ARMY OF 8,000 ENTERTAINED BY WOOLF'S COMPANY.

Time and Again They Occupy the 1,000 Chairs Provided at Four Long Tables in Brooke's Casino—Reference to Death of Founder of the Charity Brings Semblance of Order During Invocation for First Time in History of the Annual Affair.

An army of newsboys, with the voracious appetites that newsboys alone have, attacked 500 turkeys and chickens, to say nothing of other good things, in Brooke's Casino last night and won a glorious victory. The charge began promptly at 6 o'clock and the retreat was sounded at 9, but the contest waged in those three hours will remain one of the bright spots in the memories of all who engaged in it.

This was the twenty-fifth annual Thanksgiving dinner given by Woolf's Clothing company to Chicago's newsboys and fully 8,000 were fed. Time and again they filled the Casino floor, where four long tables had been placed to accommodate them. There were big boys and little boys, lean boys and fat boys, ragged boys and neat boys, clean boys and dirty boys, and doubtless good boys and bad boys.

When the word was given at 6 o'clock that everything was in readiness the rear doors of the Casino were thrown back and in they rushed. When the thousand seats which the tables afforded were filled the doors were closed again, yet the line still extended down Peck court as far as Michigan avenue and every second recruit filled up the ranks.

Bill of Fare in Bulk.

The bill of fare looks like a page from a regimental commissary department. In bulk it runs as follows: Two hundred and fifty turkeys, 250 chickens, 1,500 loaves of bread, 1,500 dozen cakes, 150 bunches of bananas, 2 barrels of cranberry sauce, 25 ten gallon cans of mashed potatoes, 1,500 pies, 25 boxes of oranges, 25 barrels of apples, 25 boxes of celery; figs, dates, raisins, and nuts unscheduled, besides 10 barrels of lemonade.

It took fifty men to serve the dinner and twenty-five women to wash the dishes. The Rev. D. F. Fox of the California Avenue Congregational church pronounced the invocation and he is declared by Benjamin Woolf to be the only man who has ever been able to retain a semblance of order among the guests. This is accounted for by the fact of his reference to the charity of Isaac Woolf, who inaugurated the annual dinner and whose death a few weeks ago was known to every boy in the hall.

The boys were not the only feature of the dinner, for while 8,000 were fed, fully that many grown people went to the Casino to look on. The balcony was crowded during the entire evening and thousands lined the walls of the hall watching the boys clean their plates. That they did their duty manfully was evidenced by a pile of bones and refuse which would fill a wagon.

Gives Turkeys to Firemen.

Fourteen huge turkeys were presented to the members of hook and ladder company No. 11, State and Thirty-seventh streets, yesterday, the gift of Mrs. J. Ogden Armour, 3724 Michigan avenue. Not one of the members of the fire company was forgotten.

"Tell Mrs. Armour," said Capt. Paschke of the company, to the man who delivered the consignment, "that every man is ready to do his share when the time comes tomorrow. We all send our thanks for the feast."

Mrs. Armour for several years has provided the members of that company with turkeys on Thanksgiving day.

"Armour" Has Celebrated.

The Armour institute held a Thanksgiving celebration at 11:30 o'clock yesterday morning. Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus presided and all the boys and many of their friends were present. Mrs. Dorothea S. Hoagin-Hayden, dramatic reader, furnished the program. She gave first a group of lyrics, then dramatic scenes, and finally several humorous selections. Calvin Cox, tenor, furnished the music.

MANY CANDIDATES FOR DUNNE'S JOB.

Democratic County Executive Committee Discusses Several Possibilities.

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Members Would Fill Vacancies in Civil Service Commission and Election Board.

Mayor Dunne need not expect the democratic nomination for mayor next spring on a silver platter, the county executive committee having decided yesterday that that body was "too darned" dignified to go around begging any man to accept the place at the head of the ticket, especially in view of the abundant "good material" to choose from.

This decision was reached at the first meeting of the executive committee to be given up to a study of the mayoralty situation. The committeemen "mentioned" half a dozen available candidates, including the mayor, with the detached and impartial air of disinterested spectators. The sentiment was overwhelmingly in favor of letting the "bunch" fight it out and the best man win.

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Mayor Dunne, Ald. W. E. Dever, ex-Mayor Harrison, J. Ham Lewis, and John P. McGoorty were all named as "in the running." Ald. Coughlin modestly suggested himself as a "business man's candidate." The most interesting feature of the meeting was Ald. Dever's failure to make the conventional "O, no, count me out of the," when his own name was suggested. He just looked at the floor, and the others promptly spread abroad the report when they left the room that the seventeenth ward alderman had a sure enough boomlet.

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Darrow Does Not Want It.

Clarence S. Darrow's boom for mayor was traced yesterday to Fred Burkhard, an undertaker at 1560 Lincoln avenue, who has ordered 2,000 cards struck off announcing the fact that Darrow is the "people's choice."

"Well, that may be the people's choice," said Darrow, dryly, when asked about it, "but it's not my own. There is nothing on earth I want less than the nomination for mayor."

William O'Connell, Ald. Dever, and Secretary Tansey were appointed a committee to secure recognition for the committee in connection with the filling of the vacancies on the civil service commission and election board.

Theatrical Employes Give a Dance.

The annual mask carnival and ball given by the Chicago Theatrical Employés at the Coliseum last night was a "howling success." There were mobs of howling Indians, howling dervishes, and other madcap characters to add to the noise. Miss Alice Fisher, 245 Western avenue, and seven others complained of losing watches in the crush. The affair was given under the management of the local bill posters' union.

Loving Cup to Park Official.

Joseph F. Haas, who yesterday resigned as secretary of the west park board, was presented with a silver loving cup by President Bernard Eckhart on behalf of the commissioners. Mr. Haas' recent election to county clerk caused him to relinquish his office with the park board.

HUNT BALL A GAY SCENE.

DECORATIONS OF CHASE AND HARVEST AT ONWENTSIA.

Men in "Pink" Coats Give Added Color—Forty Couples Dine at Long Table as Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Booth and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baker—Others in Smaller Groups—Cotillion Led by Arthur Bissell—Favors Silver Novelties.

Brer Fox, while not a guest of honor, occupied the central place in the festivities of the fourth annual hunt ball at the Onwentsia club last evening. One of the vulpine species flaunted its embalmed brush in the faces of those who had chased its anise seed foster brother all fall across the fields near Lake Forest, and on every possible place there reposed trophies of the sport that had made many merry hours for hunters who gathered to feast, sing, and dance to celebrate the close of the season.

Hunting sights and hunting sounds prevailed throughout a jolly evening. Intermingled with tokens of the harvest season were saddle and boot, horn and whip, etchings of "ye olde English chase," and photographs of Chicago's followers of the scented prey, groups of blooded hounds and pedigreed mounts, portrayed the past, and toasts told of the rides of the future.

Harvest Decorations Predominate.

The halls and stairways of the club were festooned with smilax, while the ballroom walls were covered with harvest decorations—bright red leaves, brown corn stalks, sheaves of wheat, and great pumpkins.

In the main or, as it is called, the "porch" dining room was the hunt dinner proper, presided over by W. Vernon Booth, master of the hounds, and Alfred L. Baker, president of the club. Two score of couples were gathered around the long board, the majority of the men wearing the "pink" or the scarlet coats of the chase.

A curtain of bright green streamers dotted with yellow chrysanthemums and draped in curves hid the windows of the porch, while table decorations of vivid masses of holly topped with white chrysanthemums and brilliant poinsetta afforded contrast.

At the Hunt Table.

Those seated at the hunt table at dinner were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. W. Vernon Booth, and Mrs. Willard S. Boothe, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred L. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel T. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Barrell, Mr. and Mrs. James Wiles Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Good, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Taylor Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Carpenter Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Sydney R. Tabor, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bissell, Mr. and Mrs. Bland Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Hermann Gade, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Field, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur T. Aldis, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. McBirney, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson P. Bigelow, Mr. and Mrs. Rockwell King, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pirie Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. McGann, Mrs. H. C. Chatfield-Taylor, Miss Agnes Booth, Miss Evelyn Poole, Miss Hester Reilly, Miss Gwethalyn Jones, Miss Marjorie Robbins, Miss Eleanor Day, Miss Florence Cummings, Mr. Alexander de Nuber, Mr. Bernard F. Rogers, Mr. Eames MacVeagh, Mr. H. J. Whigham, Mr. Edward S. Adams, Mr. H. O. Crane, Mr. Garrard Winston, Mr. John A. Ryerson, Dr. N. S. Davis Jr., Mr. Charles Ferpald, Mr. Arthur Young.

The cotillion, led by Arthur Bissell, differed from that of last year in that it was not featured with comic favors or "freak" figures. The favors were silver novelties, notebooks, pencils, pincushions, and other small articles.

WISH TO BE HEARD BEFORE 'QUITTING'

City Hall Employes Begin Campaign Against New Charter Revision.

MOVEMENT IS ORGANIZED.

Would Have Law Remain as Now, Granting Civil Service Hearing Before Dismissal.

Several hundred employes in the city hall, packed into the drillroom of the Masonic temple last night, launched an active campaign against that provision in the new charter which would give a department head the power to dismiss a subordinate without a civil service hearing.

City Engineer Walter A. Shaw presided, and, after a number of speeches had been made, was authorized to appoint a committee to wait on the charter convention Friday afternoon, and urge that the civil service law be left as it is. In their anxiety not to have the movement regarded merely as "job holders' protest," invitations were extended to the civic federation, the Civil Service league, the teachers' federation, and the federation of labor to add such members to the committee as they saw fit.

Have Commissioners With Them.

"Civil Service Commissioners Prentiss and Wenter are with us in this protest," declared William Roche. "They authorised me to use their names.

"Commissioner Prentiss said he also wanted to be heard by the convention on that point, but would be out of town."

Col. Richard O'Sullivan Burke, whose long trial before the civil service commission qualified him to speak, declared that the present law threw proper safeguards about an employé.

Says It Would Jeopardize Law.

"To take away an employé's right to a hearing would jeopardize the whole civil service law," he asserted. "It would leave us at the mercy of the politicians, who in most instances land in the berths over us."

Speeches were made by Supt. H. O. Nourse of the water office, Secretary John A. May of the board of local improvements, James Markham, secretary to Chief of Police Collins; J. J. Keppler of the machinists' union, and committee to be appointed by Mr. Shaw will wait upon Leasing Rosenthal, chairman of the civil service committee of the convention, tomorrow morning and ask for his cooperation.

Physicians to Hear Miss Addams.

Miss Jane Addams of Hull house will lecture on "Social Hygiene in Tenement House Districts" Saturday evening at the usual meeting of the Chicago Medical society in the public library.

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BURNS AND O'BRIEN FIGHT TO A DRAW.

End of the Twentieth Round Finds Them Covered with Blood, Battling Hard.

JEFFRIES THE REFEREE.

His Decision Displeases Canadian, but Satisfies "Philadelphia Jack."

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 28.—" Philadelphia Jack " O'Brien and Tommy Burns tonight fought twenty terrific rounds before the Pacific Athletic club to a draw.

When the end came it found the two men in the center of the ring engaged in a terrible struggle. The whole upper part of their bodies was covered with blood. While Jeffries held up the gloves of both fighters a shout of disapproval went up from the Burns admirers, who believed their man had won.

Burns, who fought like a bulldog from the beginning to the end, was always on the aggressive, crowding his opponent to the ropes and frequently rushing him about the ring almost in fight. The fighting, practically from the first round to the last, was terrific and interesting. Burns landed undoubtedly many more blows than his opponent and they seemed to show greater force.

Saved by Fast Footwork.

O'Brien's footwork, however, was fast and clever and his ducking saved him time and again from severe punishment. Burns, however, landed many stiff blows on O'Brien's face and had the latter's nose bleeding and his right eye laid open in the early rounds of the fight.

Burns, too, was severely punished about the face, his nose being bloodied and his left eye completely closed at the termination of the fight.

The men showed evidence of bitterness toward each other throughout. It looked about the middle of the fight as if Burns would win easily. O'Brien was almost groggy at different stages, and a knockout seemed not improbable. But in the sixteenth round O'Brien, who had rested in the clinches, appeared strengthened, and for a while carried the fight to his opponent. Neither man scored a knockdown.

Jeffries' refereeing was eminently satisfactory. Jeffries experienced the greatest difficulty in prying the men apart from the tenacious clinches in every round of the fight.

Burns Disgruntled, Jack Satisfied.

After the fight Burns said: " I won fairly and I think the decision was bad. I chased O'Brien miles all over the ring. Just compare our faces and draw your own conclusions."

O'Brien said: " I am well satisfied with the decision. Jeffries did the right thing. I outpointed Burns, I think, but I was a little light for him. Hereafter I shall fight in the middleweight class. Burns was a bit stronger than I expected, and he fought a good fight."

Referee Jeffries, defending his decision, said: " There was nothing to warrant a different decision in favor of either. Both were strong at the finish. There was not enough landing done to justify a selection of the better man."

Quarrel Over Burns' Belt.

When O'Brien and Burns entered the ring O'Brien found serious fault with Burns' belt, which he claimed was an inflated affair.

As the men conferred and quarreled over the matter Referee Jeffries seemed absolutely at sea over the proposition, which was new to him. O'Brien contended that under the rules his opponent could wear nothing except bare trunks. Burns insisted he would not remove the belt.

A delay of fifteen minutes ensued while the men disputed. Burns insisted sulkily he would not allow O'Brien to inspect his apparatus nor would he remove the portion objected to. Burns also objected to O'Brien's bandaged elbow. A proposition was offered, and O'Brien assented to it, that the two men would fight wearing only supporters. Burns demurred.

At 10:15 p. m. Burns agreed to take off the objectionable bandage. It was an inflated flannel affair that covered the lower portion of his abdomen. O'Brien was greatly pleased and bowed right and left to the crowd, which responded with mingled hisses and cheers.

Battle by Rounds.

FIRST ROUND—O'Brien clinched after a left lead, and protested when Burns kept both hands working during the clinch. O'Brien staggered Burns with a left hook, and they clinched. O'Brien rushed with a right hook, which was blocked. Burns was bleeding at the nose when the round closed, with little advantage for either man. The round was tame.

SECOND ROUND—Burns landed a left to the ribs and O'Brien savagely protested as Jeffries separated them. Jeffries separated them from a clinch with difficulty. O'Brien put two lefts to the jaw and Burns was hissed for attempting to hit in a clinch. O'Brien put a hard left to the stomach. O'Brien landed two stiff uppercuts and left and right to the side of the head. Burns was holding on fast. Burns seemed to lose his head and went into a clinch. The round was strongly O'Brien's, who appeared to have taken the measure of his opponent and seemed confident.

Burns Eager for Fight.

THIRD ROUND—Burns was eager and landed a light left to the body. O'Brien hooked right on the head and left to the body. The round closed with Burns holding and O'Brien seemingly the weaker.

FOURTH ROUND—Burns was hissed for hitting in a clinch. He attempted to reach O'Brien's ear as they were closely locked together. O'Brien put a right to the shoulder and ducked a straight left and they clinched. As they were separated Burns put a right hook to the jaw. O'Brien cleverly escaped from a corner. They exchanged right and left hooks. O'Brien missed a stiff uppercut as the gong sounded. The round was tame, with much clinching.

Burns Does Better Work.

FIFTH ROUND—Burns put a right to the body. Burns took a left in the stomach. O'Brien missed a right swing and they clinched. He danced away, but returned to plant a straight left to the jaw. They exchanged right leads to the jaw and O'Brien got a stiff left to the mouth that brought the blood. Burns chased O'Brien around the ring and they rushed into a clinch. Burns put a right and a left to the face. O'Brien countered with a right without damage. Burns took three stiff straight rights to the jaw. O'Brien landed a right hook as the gong sounded. The round was by far the busiest and most scientific thus far. Burns showed confidence that previously has been lacking and the round was slightly in his favor.

SIXTH ROUND—Burns, with head down and eyes eager, followed his man around the ring. O'Brien missed a straight left and clinched. Burns taunted O'Brien, asking him to stand and fight. O'Brien kept away and Burns repeated the operation. They clinched. O'Brien trotted circles about his opponent, occasionally leading. The crowd displayed dissatisfaction and urged O'Brien to fight. Burns planted his left three times to the head as the gong sounded.

O'Brien Becomes Weary.

SEVENTH ROUND—Burns attacked savagely, landing right and left, but did no damage. O'Brien passed his left over his opponent's shoulder and they clinched. O'Brien missed a right to the head. Burns continued to use his hands in the clinches. O'Brien landed right and left hooks, evidently with some power. He missed a straight left. Burns showed ability to stop O'Brien's left leads. Burns landed a left to the chest and a right to the neck. O'Brien landed a left to the jaw. O'Brien appeared much more wearied than his opponent.

EIGHTH ROUND—Burns put a left to the head and a right to the jaw. It almost swept O'Brien off his feet. Burns chased his man around the ring, attempting to win in a rush. Tommy ducked a left swing. O'Brien put a right jab to the chest. Jack put a right uppercut to the chin. O'Brien was spitting blood freely, and during the round kept away from his man. Burns displayed unexpected agility in slipping under O'Brien's leads.

Burns Tries for Knockout.

NINTH ROUND—Burns met O'Brien in the latter's corner with savage right jabs and they clinched. O'Brien kept away. They rushed to a clinch and Jeffries broke them with difficulty. Burns' right was short, but he landed a stiff left to the head, following with a right on O'Brien's face, which was covered with blood. Burns was trying to land a knockout blow. O'Brien put a right hook to the chin, and Burns after blocking a left uppercut received two light hooks on the left side of the head. O'Brien's eye was badly cut.

TENTH ROUND—Burns continued his rushing and O'Brien slipped under a vicious swing. Burns hit him hard in a clinch. They exchanged straight lefts to the face. O'Brien seemed to be leaning groggily on Burns' shoulder. He straightened Burns up with a right uppercut, but received a hard right on the kidneys. O'Brien poked Burns with two lefts at long range, the first time he had used his lead, which always was his style of battle. He repeated the blows as the gong sounded. Burns stood looking disgusted in the center of the ring.

O'Brien Badly Battered.

ELEVENTH ROUND—Burns was pushed halfway across the ring by his seconds, and met O'Brien in a clinch, using his hands whenever he had a chance. Burns took a left and gave right and left to face in return. Burns continued to rush O'Brien, landing two straight rights and lefts and taking a stiff left to the stomach. O'Brien danced along the ropes, but failed to escape two light lefts. O'Brien danced away, then closed in after Burns had planted a left to the face. O'Brien landed a stiff right as they clinched, and put a left to the face. O'Brien's face was a ghastly sight. Jeffries' pink shirt was bloody from shoulder to cuffs.

TWELFTH ROUND — Burns pursued O'Brien around the ring, landing a left to the face. O'Brien's elbow met Tommy's face as they clinched. Burns' glove was locked under O'Brien's arm, and Burns again protested. Burns landed a left to the ribs and a right to the face, and hooked a left to the head. O'Brien rallied, slashing two uppercuts that landed on Burns' chin. Tommy was compelled to do the leading, and was separated from a clinch as the gong sounded. This round was even.

Battle at Close Quarters.

THIRTEENTH ROUND—Burns rushed to close quarters and O'Brien suffered in the clinch. Jeffries used all his strength to break the men. They again closed in after an exchange of lefts and Jack received two lefts that renewed the stream of blood from his mouth and eyes. He appeared more willing to come to close quarters and used his right uppercut to advantage, landing twice in rapid succession. Burns put a right to the ear and O'Brien countered as they clinched. Burns slipped over a straight left. The round ended with little advantage.

FOURTEENTH ROUND—Burns began the round as usual by a rush that ended in a clinch, and as soon as released by the referee he bore in and landed a hard right on O'Brien's head and several body blows at close range. Burns slipped under a left lead and assaulted O'Brien's kidneys. O'Brien put home a left hook to the stomach and Burns shot a right hook to the jaw. O'Brien was making a much better showing, but the crowd kept calling on him for a speech as the round was in progress.

Better Showing by O'Brien.

FIFTEENTH ROUND—O'Brien landed a left uppercut and Tommy traded a right hook. O'Brien then went into a clinch. O'Brien put a straight left to the mouth and followed with a tap to the head. Again O'Brien's left reached Burns' face and he seemed in much better shape. Burns was trying to slip over a right and left in a clinch. His left eye was beginning to close. The crowd hissed vigorously as the men tugged savagely in a clinch. This was O'Brien's round.

SIXTEENTH ROUND—They rushed to a clinch into which O'Brien was pushed by his seconds. Burns missed a right hook and ducked a left swing. O'Brien landed a straight left to the face. They clinched again and in the breakaway Burns jabbed O'Brien twice with his left. Burns' seconds were protesting against O'Brien holding Burns' right glove as they broke. O'Brien landed a right hook and Burns countered with a left jab to the ear. Jeffries worked hard to separate them. O'Brien landed a stiff right on the ear as the gong sounded. This also was O'Brien's round.

Jeff Forced to Pry Men Apart.

SEVENTEENTH ROUND—They met in the usual clinch and Jeff had to separate them. O'Brien ripped in a stiff right uppercut and escaped a rush by Burns. O'Brien put a left hook to the body and two straight lefts to the eye and they clinched until Jeffries pried them apart. Jack sent home a stiff jab to the chin and received a left to the body. The gong sounded with both men in action. The crowd hooted Burns vigorously, because he swung his left after the bell sounded.

EIGHTEENTH ROUND—Both men went to work fast, apparently not being tired. O'Brien rocked Burns with a stiff left to the head. Burns slipped under the next two leads. Jack jabbed his man twice lightly with lefts. Burns was still aggressive and planted a left jab to O'Brien's stomach as they entered a clinch. Honors were even in this round.

More Clinching.

NINETEENTH ROUND—Burns was the aggressor, but O'Brien wrapped him in an embrace that required Jeffries' intervention. O'Brien put a right to the chin and a left to the face. In a clinch Tommy put his left to O'Brien's face. O'Brien tried three times to land his left to keep Burns at a distance. O'Brien blocked a left hook and received a right hook on the chin. Burns slipped under a left and sent a right to O'Brien's body. The round closed with the men in a clinch.

TWENTIETH ROUND—The men rushed to a clinch. Burns attempting to strike with his left. Jeffries used all his strength to force them apart. They came together immediately after. Burns sent a left over the head as they parted. Burns appeared to be weakening and O'Brien landed a hard left to the jaw in a clinch which followed. Burns' head seemed to wobble and he clinched for fully twenty seconds to avoid punishment. Jeffries used his shoulder to push Burns away. The entire crowd was standing when the fight was declared a draw.

A great crowd was in attendance, estimated at $15,000. Fifteen hundred people surrounded the structure and several fights broke out among those trying to get near the doors.

Solly Smith Arrested.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Solly Smith, who held the lightweight pugilistic championship of the world a few years ago, was arrested in a restaurant in this city last night for refusing to pay for meals. When brought to police headquarters Smith was charged with drunkenness. Smith had enough money to pay the bill, but refused to do so.

Prize Fighter Is Converted.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—" Kid " Wedge, who was scheduled to fight Guy Buckles, has presented his prospective opponent with a New Testament, explaining he has foresaken pugilism and embraced christianity.

Powell Wins on a Foul.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Lew Powell won from Cyclone Thompson in the tenth round at Colma tonight on foul.

SOCCER AT MARSHALL FIELD.

Maroon Team to Meet the Wanderers in Contest Today—Dispute Michigan's Claims.

With the maroon football players retired for the season the University of Chicago soccer football team has arranged a series of games with outside teams, the first of which will be played on Marshall field tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The Wanderers will oppose the maroons, while on Dec. 7 the university will play the Englewood High school team and some afternoon next week the Hibernians.

These will be the first games of the season to be played by the university eleven. L. T. Loose is the captain of the team. Interest on the Midway is now absorbed in the coming fray between the law and medical students. They will play Saturday morning and the game is advertised to be on the latest sportsmanlike lines. It will be preceded by mass meetings and a " purity " banquet, while between the halves the star player will be presented with an alarm clock. Nearly forty laws and medics have been out in suits getting in trim for the game.

The law candidates are: Webb, Carlson, Pope, Baird, Hunt, Friend, Parkinson, Ashton, Crum, Abbott, Bair, Carlisle, Leary, Mabin, and McKeag. The medic squad is composed of Hartigan, Molonay, Barnes, St. Sure, Wesm, Hurdman, Oliver, Larkin, Gunn, Wadsworth, Schott, Johnstone, Brown, Payne, Johnson, Parks, Moody, Monroe, Flynn, Nicoll, Pepper, Patterson, and Dyer.

CLOSE FINISHES AT NEW ORLEANS.

Several Victories by Nose Feature Racing at the Fair Grounds.

BLOW TO EASTERNERS.

Defeat of Sir Toddington by Colloquy and De Oro Proves to Be Costly.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Several nose finishes and the downfall of four heavily played choices characterized the racing at the Fair grounds today. The weather was perfect and the track in excellent shape.

The talent and heavy operators received the worst setback of the day in the fourth race, a dash over five furlongs, for 2 year olds, for which the eastern colt, Sir Toddington, was favorite. Hailing from the apparently unbeatable stable of the Burlew-O'Neill combination, and with all the talk that was passed about of his wonderful turn of speed, the speculators fell over each other in their haste to get aboard. In the paddock he outlooked all of the other seven starters, and the race was considered over.

Colloquy Upsets Calculations.

The actual contention, however, proved different from the anti-post theory of the race. Colloquy was the one to upset the calculations. Notwithstanding her excellent race the last time out, few had the courage to select her as the winner.

De Oro broke first when the barrier was sprung, but Colloquy passed him like a shot. Taking a two lengths' lead before the half mile pole was reached, she forced such a terrific pace for Sir Toddington that by the time the head of the stretch was reached the latter was done for. Colloquy went on to cross the line, the easiest of winners, by four lengths, with De Oro, closing fast, taking the measure of Sir Toddington by half a length.

Florizel's victory by a nose over Golden Mineral in the closing race on the card cost the form players thousands of dollars. Everything looked made to order for the Arthur horse, and he was backed heavily.

New Orleans Summaries.

First race, ¾ mile—L. S. B., 104 pounds [C. Morris], 15 to 1, won; Judge Burroughs, 107 [Troxler], 20 to 1, second; Gold Circle, 104 [Garner], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:21 2-5. Elixir, Alginby, Glendiver, Vesme, Glad Pirate, Prince Nipissing, Royal Bond, Black Enamel, Monro, J. J. Jr., and Precept ran.

Second race, 11-16 mile, selling—Miss Ferris, 99 pounds [L. Martin], 7 to 2, won; Pulpus, 104 [J. Gilpatrick], 5 to 1, second; Verdant, 104 [Diggins], 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:09. Pinsticker, Ballabot, Outlaw, Robust, Ash Wednesday, Sarsaparilla, and Stoic ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Pink Star, 105 pounds [D. Austin], 9 to 10, won; Northey, 97 [J. Kennedy], 11 to 5, second; Spider Web, 95 [W. E. Walsh], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:29 1-5. Sponge Cake, Disarmament, Early Bird, 108 [Englehart], 15 to 1, ran.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Colloquy, 110 pounds [Foy], 7 to 2, won; De Oro, 113 [Mountain], 25 to 1, second; Sir Toddington, 115 [Burlew], 1 to 10, third. Time, 1:00 2-5. Bitter Miss, Sally Preston, Lucky Moss, Balashed, and Electric ran.

Fifth race, 11-16 mile—Florizel, 104 pounds [J. Hennessy], 15 to 1, won; Bill Phillips, 111 [Nicol], 3 to 1, second; Tsara, 99 [F. Burton], 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 2-5. Miss Margaret M., and Tomochichi ran.

Sixth race, 1¼ mile, selling—Florizel, 97 pounds [Goldsmith], 4 to 1, won; Golden Mineral, 90 [A. Morris], 13 to 10, second; Harmakis, 101 [A. Martin], 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:55 2-5. Hickory Corners, Footlights Favorite, Mamie Algol, Adbell, and Semper Viva also ran.

Entries.

First race, ¾ mile, selling — Hyacinth, 110 pounds; King Wilda, 107; Varco, Violin, 106; Belle Owensboro, 101; Wood Claim, Hamburg, 100; Wild Irishman, 103.

Second race, ¾ mile, selling, 2 year olds—Glamora, 113 pounds; Sally Jr., 110; Sir Vincent, 106; Frank Fletcher, Mary Sandiemas, 105; Jacomo, 104; Ludia, Suada, 102; Bertmont, 99; Zabliss, 97.

Third race, 1 1-16 mile, handicap — Meadow Breeze, 112 pounds; La Sorcière, 110; Sugar, 110; Formaster, 108; Ralbert, 109; Lady Henrietta, 98; Palladay, 95; De Oro, 91; Gold Bearer, 86.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 mile, selling, 3 year olds—Belmere, 115 pounds; St. Valentine, 113; Hannibal Boy, 109; Orly II., 108; Jack Dolan, 107; Tugman, 106; Athlete, 103; Rio Reno, 98; Rich, The Englishman, 101; Shawana, 100; Besterling, 97; "Burlew and O'Neill entry.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, selling—Arabo, Optional, 113 pounds; Padre, 112; Kohinoor, Airship, 111; J. W. O'Neill, Quinn Brady, 106; Atlas, 105; Marvel P., 100.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Water Pansy, 109 pounds; Col. Bartlett, Fred Hornbeck, 107; Gamester, 106; Henry Watterson, Red Coat, 103; Foreigner, 103; Lacache, Joe Lesser, Fenian, Bitter Hand, 102; Lena J., 97.

New Orleans Track Notes.

Jockey Trueman was suspended for one week by Starter Dade for misbehavior at the post in the fifth race.

Jockey Diggins was suspended for the remainder of the meeting by the stewards for fighting with A. Martin in the jockeys' room after the first race.

Jockey Hogg was painfully injured today when his mount collided with another horse, throwing the jockey under the fence. Hogg was exercising his horse at the time.

MUDLARKS HAVE AN INNING.

Track at Oakland Is Heavy, but Few Upsets Result—Prestige's Victory Only Surprise.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Mudlarks had their first inning of the season today and there were few upsets. Prestige was the only real surprise of the day, winning the fifth race by a head from Dorado, at odds of 20 to 1. Military Man, a 3 to 5 favorite, pulled up lame, which accounted for his defeat. The Snithes in the first race by Tavora over Avonlis and in the sixth, taken by Whiskey King, were extremely close.

The stewards ordered Burger & Co. to return Van Ness to Sam Hildreth. It was discovered that Burger, who claimed Van Ness, did not own Libervale and therefore was not entitled to make a claim.

A great sprinting field meets in the five furlongs race tomorrow. It is not often that so many sprinters of caliber such as Shotgun, Crusados, Cloudlight, Fireball, Aaron J., Gypsy King, and Burleigh meet in a race. Proper, Corrigan, Borghesi, and Ramus look to be contenders in the Thanksgiving handicap. Logistilla is not regarded as a good mudder. Summaries:

First race, Futurity course—Tavora, 112 pounds [Williams], 13 to 5, won; Avonalis, 107 [Hildebrand], 4 to 5, second; Santa Ray, 107 [Brown], 18 to 5, third. Time, 1:15 1-5. Peter J., Meada, Libervale, St. Denis, St. Winnifreda, Dr. Rowell, Sheen, and Lucrece ran.

Third race, ¾ mile—Antique, 111 pounds [Knapp], 18 to 5, won; Furze, 106 [Russell], 5 to 1, second; Comus, 108 [Lawrence], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:01 3-5. Fred Mullholland, F. Nugent, St. Elmwood, Roalta, Asura, Burning Bush, and L. C. Ackerley ran.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 mile, selling—Jack Full, 107 pounds [L. Sullivan], 7 to 10, won; Bearskin, 107 [Leeds], 15 to 1, second; Iras, 107 [Knapp], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 4-5. Tapsteter, Chablis Bonar, Watercure, and Little Joker ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Prestige, 98 pounds [Hunter], 20 to 1, won; Dorado, 106 [Russell], 8 to 1, second; Military Man, 106 [Knapp], 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:43 3-5. Alline, Carey, Duellist, Ralph Young, Scotch Thistle, and Augie ran.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Whiskey King, 112 pounds [A. Brown], 11 to 5, won; Delgado, 110 [Williams], 11 to 5, second; I'm Joe, 108 [Sang], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 3-5. Don Hamilton, Baker, Dora L., Nabonasser, Rey Del Mundo, and Frolic ran.

Entries.

First race, ¾ mile—Triumphant, Palemon, 114 pounds; Possible, Ocean Flyer, 111; Johnny Lyons, Sam Barber, 107; Arcourt, Ingham, 104.

Second race, ¼ mile, selling—Chestnut a Crescendo, 113 pounds; Magrath, Lexington, 109; I'm Joe, Atkins, 106; Comilfo, Fred Bent, Gov. Davis, Travers, 105; Mal Lowry, Salable, 104.

Third race, ½ mile—Shotgun, Crusados, Collector Jessup, 112 pounds; Aaron J., Fireball, Reality, Ethel Day, Burleigh, Cloudlight, 109; Gypsy King, Super Maid, 104.

Fourth race, 1¼ miles, Thanksgiving handicap—Proper, 122 pounds; Logistilla, 121; Borghesi, 116; Lubin, 111; Corrigan, 106; Blue Eyes, 105; Ramus, 104; Dewey, 101.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles, selling—Byronerdale, Morendo, Prickles, Inflammable, Little Joker, Lone Wolf, Jack Little, 109 pounds; Benvolio, 107; Keenon, Lasvill, 104.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Dutiful, 110 pounds; Invader, Liberto, Fury, W. H. Gates, Reeves, 107; Harbor, 105; Orchard, Potrero Grande, 102.

Small Prices at Lexington.

Lexington Ky., Nov. 28.—One hundred and twenty-eight head of thoroughbreds were sold here today by the Fasig-Tipton company, bringing a total of $16,405. The list offered were not high class material, and but two mares brought over $500. The principal sales were:

Virgin Soil, b. m., 6, by Imp. Top Gallant, dam Alfalfa, by Wildidle, Wade, New York, $1,000.

Intermezzo, b. m., 8, by Meddler, dam Fiaccolata, by Hanover, Anthony D'Or, to T. A. Forsythe, Hazelsburg, Ky., $500.

Ashes, blk. m., 4, by Tremont, dam Remembrance, by Sensation, to Woodford Clay, Paris, Ky., $600.

Drawn Fight at Oshkosh.

Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Young Nelson of Milwaukee tonight bested " Kid " Lamarche of this city. In the windup Mickey Riley of Milwaukee and Eddie McCourty of this city went six rounds to a draw. Referee Ryan's decision was not received well.

PLAN FOR BIG HORSE FAIR.

PROMINENT BREEMEN MEET AT NEW YORK.

American Association of Trotting Horse Breeders Is Organized for the Purpose of Uplifting the Sport —Annual Exhibition Is Planned for North, South, East, and West in Rotation—Senator J. W. Bailey of Texas Elected President.

New York, Nov. 28.—At a meeting today of many horsemen, presided over by H. K. Devereux of Cleveland, O., it was decided to form an organization to be called the American Association of Trotting Horse Breeders.

The avowed object of the body is the uplifting of trotting sport, and with this end in view it was decided to hold an annual horse fair in the north, south, east, and west of this country in successive years. An executive committee was appointed and it will draft a constitution and bylaws for the organization. The association will be incorporated probably under the laws of Virginia. The following officials were elected at the meeting:

President, Senator J. W. Bailey, Texas; first vice president, W. R. Allen, St. Louis, Mo.; second vice president, Jacob Ruppert, New York; third vice president, L. V. Harkness, Kentucky; treasurer, Sterling R. Holt, Indianapolis, Ind.; secretary, H. K. Devereux, Cleveland.

Executive committee, Sterling R. Holt, Indiana; William R. Allen, Missouri; J. M. Johnson, Maine; H. N. Bain, New York; H. K. Devereux, O.; R. M. Marshall, Illinois; R. C. Estill, Kentucky; C. W. Lasell, Massachusetts; Paul G. Wilson, Wisconsin; W. O. Bennett, West Virginia.

GREAT SIRE SOLD FOR $21,000.

Stallion Axworthy Brings High Price in Sale at New York—William Simpson Is the Buyer.

New York, Nov. 28.—The chestnut stallion, Axworthy, famous as the sire of more than forty trotters of the 2:30 class, was sold to William Simpson of the Empire City farms, Cuba, N. Y., at the Madison Square auction sale today. Mr. Simpson's final bid was $21,000. His principal competitor was Thornton Moore Jr. of Paris, Ky.

FORM BETTORS FARE POORLY.

Two Favorites Win at Bennings—Bright Boy Disqualified for a Foul in Second Race.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—A big crowd saw the races at Bennings today. Only two favorites won. In the second race Bright Boy finished second ahead of Sally K., a well played favorite, but was disqualified for a foul, the place being given to Sally K., with Turbulence third. The fifth Dixie was won by Holscher at 8 to 5. Jockey Miller won with Temmerlare at 2 to 5 in the fourth, that being his only winning mount today. Red Knight, the favorite in the last event on the card, was left at the post. Summaries:

First race, high weight, selling, for all ages, ¾ mile, Columbia course—Killochan, 98 pounds [Blake], 6 to 1, won; Umbrella, 86 [Yorke], 20 to 1, second; Earl Marlin, 108 [Englehart], 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:17. Parkville, Feliz, Mozart, Rowe King, Donna Elvira, Beldamo, Betsy Binford, Jim Keenan, Nellie Racine, Tanager, Botanist, and Alegra ran.

Second race, maiden 2 year olds, 1 mile, Columbia course—Sophie Sellmer, 99 pounds [Hagan], 7 to 1, won; Sally K., 99 [Blake], even, second; Turbulence, 99 [Notter], 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:44 4-5. Bright Boy, Nanella, Manana, Florence, Maxwell, High Jumper, Will Do, Mannymoor, and Dissent ran. Bright Boy finished second, but was disqualified.

Third race, fifth Dixie, 1¼ miles, one course—Holscher, 126 pounds [Noone], 8 to 5, won; Tavapex, 116 [J. Johnson], 15 to 1, second; Nomesis, 113 [Horner], 13 to 10, third. Time, 3:10 4-5. Belle of Jessamine ran.

Fourth race, 2 year old dash, ¾ mile, Columbia course—Temmaraire, 115 pounds [Miller], 2 to 5, won; Work and Play, 110 [R. Wilson], 7 to 1, second; Fred Mullholland, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 3-5. Diebold, Brittanby, Sandy Creeker, Daisy Frost, Howard Shean, and Byrum ran.

Fifth race, maiden 3 year olds and upward, 1 mile Columbia course—King Henry, 100 pounds [Beckman], 3 to 1, won; Marster, 100 [Lee], 16 to 5, second; Water Rascal, 100 [Englander], 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:44 1-5. Bizzy Izzy, Noblesse Oblige, Mark Meddler, How About You, Carmagnole, Cloistress, Frills, Mr. Sherman, and Bob Cochran also ran.

Sixth race, selling, 3 year olds, 1¼ miles, old course—Voladay, 106 pounds [Beckman], 10 to 1, won; Blue Buck, [Bolsser], 30 to 1, second; Chalconte, 98 [Mercado], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:59. Ivanhoe, Emperor of India, Rad Knight, New York, and Pleasant Days ran.

RACING AT LOS ANGELES TODAY

Regular Winter Season to Begin at Ascot Park Despite Annexation of Racetrack Territory.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 28.—The regular winter season of the Los Angeles Jockey club will open at the Ascot park track tomorrow afternoon. In spite of statements to the contrary, based upon the annexation of the territory wherein the track is included in the city of Los Angeles, it is generally believed that legal complications will prolong the season to the full limit of ninety days. Several hundred horses are stabled at the track and a successful meeting is looked for.

The entries provide for six races, the Jonathan Club handicap, the feature of the program. The entries follow:

First race, Futurity course—Pantoufle, 114 pounds; Don Dorro, Perry Wicks, Touraine Paxer, Willie Gregg, 104; Waterbury, 102; Lillie B., Prominence, Veritas, Vinci, Elizabeth F., 99.

Second race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Oratorian, 109 pounds; Reservation, 108; Pacifico, Bill Curtis, 104; Rubinon, I Told You, 103; J. F. Donahue, 102.

Third race, 11-16 mile—Millahora, 107 pounds; Napa, El Caracol, Kenmach, Klifer, 105; Budapest, 102; Pepper and Salt, Fire Away, 98.

Fourth race, the Jonathan Club handicap, 1 1-16 miles—Ed Ball, 110 pounds; Carraway, 109; Celtene, El Otros, 103; Supreme Court, 104; W. H. Carey, 102; Gorgalette, 101; Stilicho, Arimo, 100; I Told You, 99; Asora, 90.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Beautiful and Best, Judge Denton, 113 pounds; Elfin King, Dan Collins, Cen Handlon, 110; Boatpist, Lottie Gladstone, D. d Anderson, Lady King, Neatness, Col. Jewell, Parvo, Romombo, 105; Prince Magnet, 113.

Sixth race, 11-16 mile—Miss Martha, 103 pounds; Elmdale, 104; Pimkin, 101; Fidelity, Chico, Kirkfield, Belle, Maxim Gorky, Blue Bottle, 98; Louis Fitzgibbons, 94.

SOUTHERN TEAMS WANT DATES.

Mobile and Hutchinson Baseball Clubs Send Requests for Exhibition Games with the Chicago Nationals.

President Murphy of the Chicago Nationals yesterday received two more requests for exhibition games during the southern training trip of the National league champions. Mobile, Ala., is anxious for two games, while the Chicago team is in that vicinity. The other request came from Hutchinson, Kas. Mr. Murphy also received a letter from Harry Steinfeldt, who is wintering at Cincinnati. " Steiny " said he was feeling fine and already had begun preparation for next season by securing two new bats. Steinfeldt spoke of having met Sweeney, the new third baseman secured from the Pacific coast league, and said that he was a strapping big fellow.

BOSTON CLUB IS TRANSFERRED

New Owners Get Possession of the National League Organization—Mortgage for $200,000 Is Given.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—The Boston National League Baseball company, George B. Dovey, president; Joseph Dovey, secretary; and Fred Tenney, manager, became possessed yesterday of the property of the Boston Baseball association, Arthur H. Soden, president, and W. H. Conant, treasurer, at the office of Attorney Ralph E. Joslyn, 10 Tremont street.

PEACE PIPE AT ALUMNI SMOKER

U. of M. Association Favors Football Friendliness Between Ann Arbor and Chicago.

Resolutions in the form of a motion favoring the resumption of friendly relations with the University of Chicago in football matters were adopted at the annual smoker of the Chicago Alumni association of the University of Michigan, held at the University club last evening.

The members decided to address a note to the faculty of the University of Michigan, urging that a football game with the University of Chicago be arranged for in the near future. Considerable sentiment was expressed also in favor of negotiating for a game with one of the eastern colleges, preferably Yale, Harvard, or Cornell.

Among the speakers were Pliney B. Smith, president of the alumni, G. Fred Rush, Leo Brunhild, and P. G. Bartelme, secretary. Songs and college yells, the latter under the direction of " Hiney " Smith as " yellmaster," were indulged in freely.

Grand Rapids Signs Joe Harris.

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Capt. Groeschow of the Grand Rapids Central league team today announced he had signed Joe Harris to catch for the champions in 1907. He weighs 185 pounds and is a six footer. Pitcher Malloy of Evansville has been traded to Dayton for Pitcher Fenton.

SPORTING EVENTS SCARCE TODAY.

Professional Football Game, High School and Independent Contests.

EX-COLLEGIANS IN LINE.

Soccer Matches on Several Local Fields; Golf at Two Local Courses.

For the first time in several years Chicago today will be without its usual big Thanksgiving day football game. The effort, which started in the east, to discourage sporting events on the day of national thanksgiving, has been adopted generally by the colleges, and, while two of the big eastern teams, Pennsylvania and Cornell, will play today, the college football season practically closed on Saturday.

Except for a few minor football games, a little golf, and a coursing match, the holiday will be observed by those interested in sports as it is by commercial institutions.

The North Division High school team, which, with a strong squad of players, has been able to get comparatively few contests this season, will play a football game with the Northwestern Dental college team at Gunther park.

"Pros" to Play Game.

At American league park, Thirty-ninth street and Wentworth avenue, professional football under the college rules will be attempted for the first time in the history of Chicago. The teams are the Massillon (O.) eleven, a strong professional organization that has been in existence for several seasons, and a picked team of western college men, some of whom are graduates and others members of teams that were seen on the western gridiron this fall. The team has been misleadingly called the " all western," for, while the members of it are all western college men, the majority of them are not men who were selected as members of the " all western " elevens during their years on the college gridiron. Nevertheless, the players are, hardly without exception, good football men and should be able, if they have learned signals at all, to give the Ohio professionals a fairly good contests.

College Men Keenly Watching.

College football enthusiasts generally look with considerable apprehension on today's contest, for it is generally admitted that the professionalizing of the sport is a bad thing for the game. It is even believed post-season games between teams of alumni, without monetary reward, are bad for the sport, which, because of its tendency to roughness, should be kept under strict surveillance.

Nevertheless the presence of such wonderful football players in their day as Heston, Vanderboom, and Schulte, with others of only a little less note, bids fair to attract a big crowd to the south side park of those who consider that the holiday is the opportunity for amusement.

The lineup announced for the game is as follows:

Collegians.		Massillon.
R. E. Ivison [Chicago]		Parrott L. E.
R. T. Moynihan [U'nota]		Beacom L. T.
R. G. Wyllie [Oberlin]		Burkhart [Capt.] L. G.
C. Waugh [Indiana]		Shirring C.
L. G. Schulte [Mich.]		Maxwell R. G.
L. T. Shaw [Mich.]		McChesney R. T.
L. E. Spaulding [Wab.]		Nesser R. E.
Q. B. Hare [Indiana]		Rice Q. B.
R. H. B. Clark [Ind.]		Vanderboom L. H. B.
L. H. B. Heston [Mich.]		Robinson R. H. H.
F. B. Clark [Wis.]		McAllister F. B.

The Massillon line averages 225 3-7 pounds.

School Games Scheduled.

High school football games scheduled for today are as follows:

North Division vs. Northwestern Dental School at Gunther's park. Game called at 2 o'clock.

Englewood High vs. St. Ignatius college at St. Ignatius field.

Wendell Phillips vs. Springfield at Springfield, Ill.

University High vs. De Kalb H. S. at De Kalb, Ill.

Evanston academy vs. Grand Prairie academy at Onarga, Ill.

Palatine H. S. vs. Central Park A. C. at Palatine, Ill.

Other Local Contests

Several games among the successful independent teams are to be played this afternoon, as follows:

Spaldings and Silver Swans, at National league park (to decide which will play in the final game for the championship of the Chicago Football league).

Morris A. A. (which claims the 140 pound championship of the north side) and Danielsen, at Morris A. A. park.

Lake View A. C. and North Park college, at Lake View.

Rogers Park and Optimists, at Gunther park, at 10:30 a. m.

Soccer Games Today.

Two good soccer matches are scheduled for this afternoon on local fields, the Hyde Park blues playing Pullman at Sixty-first street and St. Lawrence avenue and the Calumets playing the Wanderers at Parkside. Both games start at 2:30 o'clock. The Elmhurst college team will go to Galesburg to play the Knox college e

NEW INDICTMENTS PILE ON STANDARD

Two True Bills, with 72 Counts, Returned Against Waters-Pierce Company.

SAME OLD STORY: REBATE

Grand Jury's Action at St. Louis Adds $1,520,000 to Total of Possible Fines.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 28.—The federal grand jury today returned two indictments, with a total of seventy-two counts, against the Waters-Pierce Oil company, charging the company with accepting rebates and discriminating in legal freight rates on shipments of oil, in violation of the interstate commerce law and the Elkins act.

If convicted on all counts in the indictments the aggregate maximum penalty that may be collected is $1,520,000.

The indictments charge that the Waters-Pierce company is a subsidiary corporation of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey.

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The first of the indictments contains twenty-one separate counts, each of which alleges a separate violation of the law, in that the Waters-Pierce company at stated times shipped carloads of oil from St. Louis to Alexandria, La., at less than the lawful rates using the lines of the Missouri Pacific railroad.

It is charged that up to July 1, 1906, the Missouri Pacific continued to carry the shipments of the Waters-Pierce company at the rate of 25 cents per hundred pounds, while its competitors were compelled to pay the 30 cent rate.

The second indictment contains fifty-one counts. Each count alleges that a carload of oil was shipped by Waters-Pierce over the Missouri Pacific lines to Alexandria, La., thence over the Southern Pacific to eleven different towns in Louisiana at less than the rates filed by the roads with the interstate commerce commission.

Under the provisions of the federal statute each shipment of a carload of oil at less than the legal rate is a separate offense and punishable under the Elkins act by a fine of not less than $1,000 nor more than $20,000.

More Trouble for Senator Bailey.

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—The demand of the attorney general of Texas upon counsel for the Waters-Pierce Oil company to produce certain books, vouchers, bank checks showing large payments of money to Senator Joseph W. Bailey in connection with the readmission of the defendant company into Texas after it had been ousted from the state for violation of the anti-trust laws of 1900, has caused a sensation in the state. Leading politicians of the state declare today that, in spite of the fact that Bailey has been declared the nominee of the democratic party for United States senator, the probabilities now are that his name will not go before the state legislature when it meets in January.

PITTSBURG CITY COUNCIL HEADS OFF BOODLE CHARGE

Hope to Pass Tube City Railroad Franchise and Close Mouths of All Witnesses.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Pittsburg councilmen think they have found a way to silence the graft charges in connection with the Pittsburg and Tube City railroad ordinance. They are now bending every effort to pass the ordinance and line up enough votes to pass the ordinance over Mayor Guthrie's veto, if need be.

All this, it is alleged, is to be done without the payment of graft or a bribe, but merely upon the assurance that those who possess any evidence against the councilmen will withhold the information the police and public crave.

This mutual benefit compact has been entered into by friends of the ordinance and the councilmen most concerned. The machinery of the city police is being directed toward running down all the evidence on the new development and a conference was held tonight between Safety Director Ridgway, Superintendent of Police McQuaide, and Detective Cecil Rice.

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NEW MEXICO

ALBUQUERQUE ✠ LAS VEGAS ✠ SANTA FE

TRAVELING westward, the average tourist passes through a country which for historical, geological and primitive interest cannot be surpassed in any part of the United States. Commencing with the picturesque town of Santa Fé, which today shows little change from the time when it was the most important of all the towns along the famous Santa Fé Trail, to Las Vegas with its fine modern hotels and trolley cars, yet with an old Mexican quarter, into Albuquerque, a thriving city, a railway and manufacturing center—in fact an up-to-date American city in every respect—one may find a thousand things of interest. The climatic conditions and the natural wonders of the mountains of New Mexico, its queer Indians and its historic landmarks, are features to be found nowhere else in this country, not excepting California.

LAS VEGAS.

Las Vegas is located on the main transcontinental line of the Santa Fé railway system. It lies almost in the center of New Mexico—in the heart of the Rocky Mountains. With 12,000 progressive and bustling citizens, it is of more than the ordinary interest to the tourist. Its elevation is 6,400 feet above the sea and its climatic advantages are superior to those of any other locality in the United States.

Physicians who have made investigations on behalf of the Government for the purpose of determining the most healthful locality for the establishment of an army post, as well as specialists in search of a location for a fraternal sanitarium to treat consumptives, have all spoken in its favor. The air is dry and cool the year around, and the number of cloudy days is very small. Excellent hunting and fishing can be had within a day's drive. Its street railways and electric light system are the best equipped in New Mexico. The famous Las Vegas Hot Springs are situated in the mouth of the Gallinas canyon six miles from the city. Numerous other resorts can be found in the mountains adjacent. Las Vegas has four large modern public buildings and its public school system compares favorably with that of any of the older states.

It has two traveling commercial organizations both doing good work for the upbuilding of the community, one known as the Commercial Club and the other as the Las Vegas Club. It also has a large and influential branch of the Young Men's Christian Association, occupying its own building, which has recently been completed at a cost of about $25,000.

Its public institutions are the Territorial Normal School, the Territorial Insane Asylum and the County Courthouse. It is the division headquarters of the A. T. & S. F. Ry. Co., with an employes' hospital, a tie preserving works, as well as the Castaneda Hotel, which is managed by Fred Harvey.

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The manufacturing industries of Las Vegas consist of foundry and machine shops, a large pressed brick works and several wool scouring plants, also a marble cutting and polishing works, recently opened to handle the marble quarried in the vicinity. The finest brown, red and white sand stone are quarried in the near by mountains.

The line of the El Paso, Dawson and Southwestern Railroad has recently been surveyed and located to pass through Las Vegas. Work upon construction of this line is to begin in the spring of 1907. This will furnish an abundance of cheap coal, besides opening up a new mining and agricultural area.

A great Government reservoir has also been determined upon, and work is to commence at once. The construction of this reservoir will bring under cultivation, according to estimates of the United States Engineers, not less than 10,000 acres of fertile land lying adjacent to Las Vegas.

Traveling from Las Vegas to Albuquerque, the Glorieta range of the Rockies is crossed through the Glorieta pass, 7,433 feet above the sea. Within 10 miles of Glorieta there are a number of deep pools in the Pecos River, which carefully whipped with proper flies yield trout weighing up to four pounds.

ALBUQUERQUE.

After the trip through northern New Mexico with its mountains, its picturesque people and its more picturesque villages; after the sand hills and adobes and curious Indian Pueblos, one comes to modern, hurrying, prosperous Albuquerque with pleasure not unmixed with surprise. The average traveler on his first trip through the Southwest expects to find New Mexico all Indians and legends and adobe villages; and he finds plenty of all three. But Albuquerque is much like a section cut out of Chicago, only without the smoke; and with a wonderful, health-giving climate, and surrounded by magnificent mountain scenery. Five years ago Albuquerque was a health resort and headquarters for three divisions of the Santa Fé—nothing more. Today Albuquerque boasts half a dozen big manufacturing enterprises, employing hundreds of men. It is the center of the business life of New Mexico; its wool merchants handle a business of $5,000,000 a year; its saw mills and wood-product factories employ more than a thousand men; its wide, well graded streets are lined with modern office buildings. Albuquerque is modern in every sense of the word. It is new but well finished, clean, well kept, and prosperous, with business opportunities galore.

The first impression the traveler has of Albuquerque is a good one, for he goes right from the train to the beautiful Alvarado Hotel, maintained by the Santa Fé; a hotel unexcelled in appointments and service by any hotel in Chicago or New York. The Alvarado is long and low and picturesque. Heavy pillars cast their shadows over the deep verandas, wide archways form the entrances to the grounds. The Alvarado is Moorish in design with just enough of the architecture of the Spanish padres to make it fit in with the scenery.

Passing through the hotel one comes upon a busy street, with trolley cars rushing by—the picturesque is not lacking, for once in a while a blanket-clad Pueblo Indian may be seen. The streets are wide and well graded, well kept and constantly being extended. Houses are being built so fast that the street department cannot keep up with the extension work necessary. Albuquerque has forty miles of cement sidewalk. It is a good place for contractors of all kinds, for building operations are large. A local life insurance company has just moved into its new and handsome four-story office building. Albuquerque maintains a paid fire department. Its streets are well lighted. It has a modern telephone system, the exchange being housed in its own building, just completed. Long distance connection is to be had with all parts of New Mexico, and a conversation with Denver is an every day matter. The water and sewage systems are good. It is a model city, equipped as are few cities of twice its population in the East. The school system especially is splendid, and many families spend the winter in Albuquerque in order that their children may have the benefit of the public schools.

Thousands of people come to Albuquerque each winter to stay during the cold months. Many of them remain. Those who are afflicted with pulmonary tuberculosis, unless the disease is far advanced, usually feel at once the wonderfully beneficial effects of the clean mountain air, which braces like wine. Several large sanitariums are maintained in Albuquerque, one—St. Joseph's—being absolutely modern in its equipment, attended by a large staff of trained nurses and physicians. For the sick man or woman who does not need constant attention, however, all Albuquerque is a sanitarium. Hundreds of people live in solidly constructed tents in the outskirts of the city, where they obtain all the comforts of a brown stone palace—bath, running water, heat and light—with all the benefits of life in the outdoor air. The number of these tents is large and constantly increasing. BUT Albuquerque is no longer merely a health resort; the rapid development of New Mexico has made it in a few short years a busy, prosperous city, with a future of brightest promise.

While in Albuquerque visit Thomas Seward, general agent of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance company.

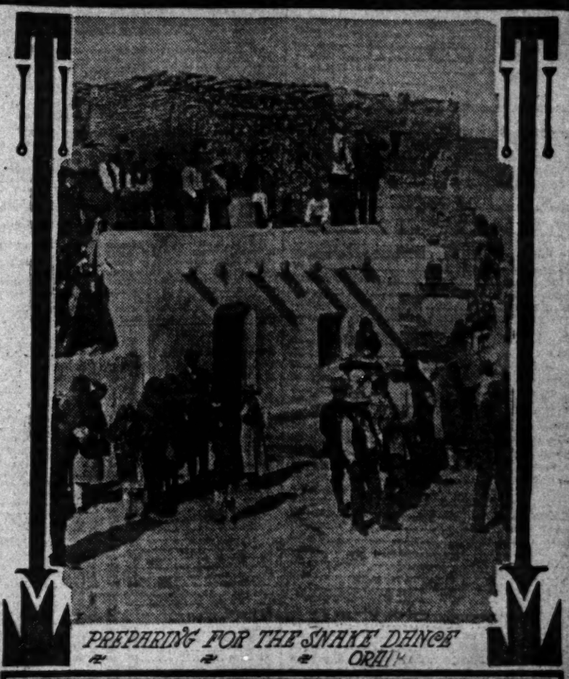
SANTA FE.

Santa Fé, the present capital of New Mexico, was founded by the Spaniards in 1605. Perhaps no town in all the West has more historical interest.

The history of the Palace, where until recently the territorial governor received his guests, stretches well back into antiquity. Here one may see paintings upon puma skins, figures laboriously wrought in wood, rude stone gods, domestic utensils and implements of war used by the original owners of this country, and ancient maps which picture California as an island of the Pacific.

Santa Fé is situated near the homes of the Pueblo Indians. Their dances, their religious and civil rites have been a subject of intense interest to tourists for many years. A large Government Indian school is located here.

The Palace Hotel in Santa Fé is one of the best hotels to be found in New Mexico. Its management and everything attached to it are of such a nature as to add to the pleasure of the traveler who stops there, making it a headquarters from which to see the wonders of the surrounding country.



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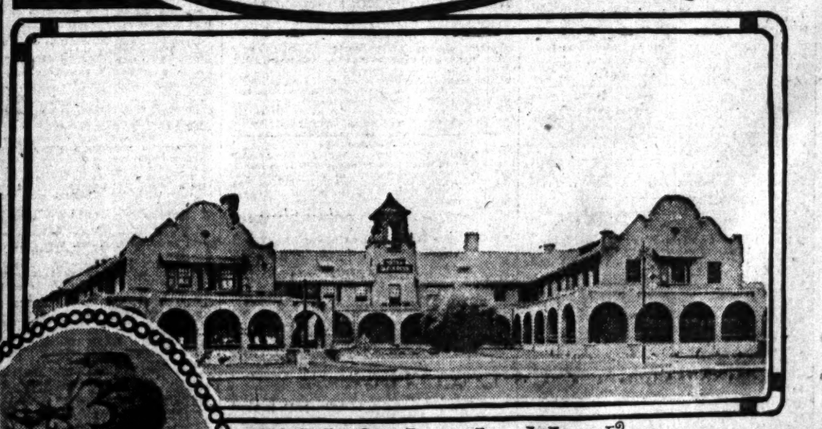

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DEATHS.

SHANNON—Mrs. Osborn James Shannon, Nov. 28. Funeral Friday at 2 p. m. from her late residence, 4915 Grand-blvd.

SIGSTEIN—John B. Sigstein, beloved husband of Mary Sigstein, nee Mamoth, father of John Joseph Sigstein. Funeral from late residence, 60 Osgood-st., Thursday, 9:30 o'clock; to St. Vincent's church. Interment St. Boniface.

SULLIVAN—Thomas Sullivan, Nov. 28, 1906, at Mercy hospital, late of 3218 La Salle-st., father of John and the late Mary and Dan Sullivan. Funeral Friday, 10:00 a. m., from D. B. Quinlan's, 3115 State-st., to St. James' church, where high mass will be celebrated, thence by carriages to Mount Olivet.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

For Illinois—Partly cloudy and warmer Thursday, Friday partly cloudy, rain or snow in north portion; winds becoming southeast, fresh to brisk.

For Ohio—Partly cloudy Thursday, snow in extreme northeast portion, Friday fair, fresh northwest winds, becoming variable.

For Upper Michigan—Fair Thursday, Friday rain or snow, winds becoming southeast and fresh to brisk.

For Lower Michigan—Fair Thursday, Friday increasing cloudiness, variable winds, becoming southeast and fresh.

For Indiana—Partly cloudy and warmer Thursday, variable winds, becoming southeast and fresh.

For North Dakota—Rain or snow Thursday, warmer in east portion, Friday probably snow and colder.

For South Dakota—Rain or snow Thursday, Friday snow and colder.

For Iowa—Partly cloudy and warmer Thursday, Friday rain or snow.

For Missouri—Partly cloudy Thursday, showers in west portion, Friday partly cloudy.

For Nebraska—Cloudy Thursday, warmer in the east portion, Friday rain or snow and colder.

For Minnesota—Increasing cloudiness and warmer Thursday, rain or snow at night or Friday, fresh southeast to south winds.

For Wisconsin—Fair, warmer Thursday, Friday rain or snow, winds becoming southeast and brisk.

Place of observation. Time taken: Nov. 28, 7 p. m.	Thermometer	Max. temp.	Wind	Direction of	Precipitation in hours.	State of weather.
Abilene	42	44		N.E.	.04	Rain
Albany	38	42		N.W.	.01	Snow
Alpena	28	32		N.W.	Tr.	Clear
Atlanta	46	52		N.W.		Clear
Amarillo	54	58		S.E.	.16	Clo'dy
Battleford	14	20		N.W.		Clear
Bismarck	32	32		S.E.		Clo'dy
Buffalo	30	34		N.W.	.08	Snow
Cairo	42	46		N.E.	.08	Clo'dy
Calgary	38	46		N.W.		Clear
Charles City	34	42		N.W.		Clo'dy
Charlotte	44	58		N.E.		Clear
Cheyenne	32	40		N.W.		Clear
Chicago	36	40		N.W.		Clear
Cincinnati	40	42		N.W.		Clo'dy
Cleveland	36	40		N.W.	.04	Clo'dy
Concordia	40	42		S.W.	.04	Clo'dy
Davenport	34	38		S.W.		Fair
Denver	44	58		S.E.		Clear
Des Moines	34	38		S.E.		Clear
Detroit	34	42		N.W.	Tr.	Clear
Devil's Lake	14	22		N.W.		Clear
Dodge	34	42		S.E.	.08	Clo'dy
Dubuque	34	40		S.E.		Clo'dy
Duluth	24	28		S.W.		Clo'dy
El Paso	52	58		N.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Edmonton	20	26		N.W.		Clear
Escanaba	28	32		N.W.		Clear
Galveston	64	66		N.E.	Tr.	Clear
Grand Rapids	34	38		N.W.		Clear
Green Bay	32	38		N.W.		Clear
Havre	10	14		N.W.		Clear
Helena	12	14		N.W.		Clo'dy
Huron	34	34		S.E.		Clo'dy
Indianapolis	38	40		N.		Clo'dy
Jacksonville	62	70		S.W.		Clear
Kansas City	40	42		S.		Clo'dy
Lander	32	36		S.W.	Tr.	Clear
Little Rock	52	54		S.W.		Clear
Los Angeles	52	54		W.		Clear
Madison	32	36		S.		Clear
Marquette	26	32			.02	Clear
Memphis	48	52		N.E.		Clear
Medicine Hat	10	20				Clear
Milwaukee	36	40		N.		Clear
Minneapolis	28	30		S.		Clear
Montgomery	54	62		N.		Clear
Montreal	28	32		N.W.	.16	Snow
Moorhead	22	30		N.W.		Clear
Nashville	42	52		N.		Clear
New Orleans	62	66		N.		Clear
New York City	44	50		N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Norfolk	46	48		N.		Fair
North Platte	40	42		S.E.		Clo'dy
Oklahoma	42	50		S.E.	.80	Clo'dy
Omaha	38	38		S.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Oswego	32	40		N.	.18	Clo'dy
Palestine	58	60		S.E.		Fair
Parkersburg	38	40		N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Peoria	34	38		S.		Fair
Philadelphia	44	48		N.W.	Tr.	Clear
Pittsburg	38	38		N.W.	.02	Fair
Pueblo	38	48		N.W.		Clear
Qu'Appelle	12	20		S.E.		Clear
Rapid City	40	50		S.E.		Clear
San Francisco	52	50		N.E.	Tr.	Rain
St. Louis	40	40		E.		Clear
St. Paul	30	32		S.E.		Clear
Salt Lake City	34	38		S.E.	.14	Fair
San Antonio	62	64		N.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
San Diego	54	56		W.		Clear
Ste. Marie	26	30		N.W.		Clear
Springfield, Ill.	32	42		N.		Clo'dy
Springfield, Mo.	44	46		N.E.	Tr.	Clear
Vicksburg	52	60		N.E.		Clear
Washington	42	48		N.W.		Clear
Wichita	42	44		S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Williston	32	36		S.E.		Clear
Winnipeg	20	22		S.		Clear
Yellowstone Park	22	38		S.W.	.01	Snow

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed yesterday by L. H. Mansure, optician, 59 East Madison-st. Tribune building, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 36 degrees above zero; 9 a. m., 38; 10 a. m., 38; 11 a. m., 39; 12 m., 39; 1 p. m., 39; 2 p. m., 41; 3 p. m., 40; 4 p. m., 40. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.99; 6 p. m., 30.00.

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued by the health department yesterday:

Abrahams, Jeanette, 26; 2846 Ogden-av. Nov. 28.
Abel, A. C., 51; 822 48th-st. Nov. 26.
Buechale, Mary M., 63; 6919 Emerald-av. Nov. 26.
Bacon, Frederick, 1 day; 1040 Addison-av. Nov. 26.
Bowers, Mrs. W. J., 60; Cook County Insane asylum, Nov. 26.
Stouten, Beatrice, 5; 7013 Justine-st. Nov. 26.
Barr, Thomas L., 2 days; 270 63d-st. Nov. 27.
Bagamski, Charles, 84; 618 Dickson-st. Nov. 26.
Bullen, William, 70; 1106 Wolfram-st. Nov. 27.
Brosins, John J., 13 days; 5310 La Salle-st. Nov. 27.
Behan, Michael, 58; 608 W. 68th-st. Nov. 27.
Cunningham, Bridget, 82; Home for the Aged, Nov. 27.
Cohn, Jacob, 26; 642 Milwaukee-av. Nov. 27.
Cani, Ellen, 58; corr. W. 105th-st. Nov. 26.
Dros, Jan, 8 days; 46 Cornelia-st. Nov. 28.
Doyle, Mary A., 18; 5502 5th-av. Nov. 27.
Halmyr, Oscar-av. Nov. 28.
Ellis, J. W., 63; 106 Desplaines-st. Nov. 18.
Fleming, Thomas J., 24; 1727 W. 12th-st. Nov. 26.
Fiesel, Ida, 1; 745 22d-av. Nov. 26.
Farofski, Ettie, 2 months; 427 W. 18th-st. Nov. 27.
Gestani, Frances, 21; Cook County Insane asylum, Nov. 27.
Gaugh, Helen, 8; 276 Morgan-st. Nov. 26.
Gorman, James S., 48; 4417 W. 40th-st. Nov. 26.
Griffin, Mary, 18; St. Anne's hospital, Nov. 26.
Gibson, James, 56; 1201 W. 69th-st. Nov. 26.
Hulsings, Thomas J., 2; 1490 Filmore-st. Nov. 28.
Heuseoh, Mary, 8 days; 843 Artesian-av. Nov. 27.
Hilding, Elmer H., 10; 1040 Addison-av. Nov. 28.
Hoben, Patrick, 65; 449 State-st. Nov. 27.
Haleso, Anna, 1; 193 W. 17th-st. Nov. 27.
Hall, Young, 28; 3102 La Salle-st. Nov. 19.
Janieyfield, John, 1 day; 902 31st-st. Nov. 27.
Jirik, Frank, 22; 1128 Kedzie-av. Nov. 27.
Jennes, Peter, 61; 2541 Calumet-av. Nov. 27.
Kowalowski, Eva, 46; 11 Perry-st. Nov. 28.
Kein, Martin, 63; 392 Webster-av. Nov. 27.
Kelly, Patrick, 68; 78 Fulton-st. Nov. 26.
Kltowski, W., 11 months; 1077 N. Winchester-av. Nov. 26.
Kiemert, Mary, 26; 3712 Wood-st. Nov. 26.
Kosinski, Mary, 7 days; 4740 Robey-st. Nov. 27.
Kosanecki, W., 2; 4434 Wood-st. Nov. 27.
Kintzl, Gertrude, 1; 2541 Calumet-av. Nov. 26.
Leonard, Rose, 55; 916 Fulton-st. Nov. 26.
Martin, Elizabeth, 10 Vernon Park-av. Nov. 26.
Marzinski, Thomas, 1 day; 3060 N. Halsted-st. Nov. 27.
Walsh, May, 55; 2530 Forest-av. Nov. 25.
Mahoney, Sophia, 10 days; 4505 Lcomis-st. Nov. 27.
McMorron, Thomas J., 19; 565 Herndon-st., Nov. 27.
McCaffny, Tim, 52; 134 W. Madison-st. Nov. 28.
Murphy, Richard, 65; 402 N. Ridgeway-av., Nov. 27.
Maximo, Charlie, 1; 1628 Gault-st. Nov. 27.
Mossor, Elsie, 1; 5407 Elizabeth-st. Nov. 27.
Neyhanres, Frank, 50; 4486 Honoré-st. Nov. 17.
Nowicki, Martin, 64; 155 Fuller-st. Nov. 27.
Nyitto, Mary, 40; 310 Sholto-st. Nov. 24.
Orentas, Ona, 19 days; 509 Union-st. Nov. 26.
Peters, Elizabeth, 2 months; 50 90th-st. Nov. 27.
Ryan, Elsen, 71; 35 Robey-st. Nov. 25.
Roch, Edward, 20; 714 N. Leavitt-st. Nov. 26.
Rosch, William, 1 month; 921 60th-st. Nov. 27.
Robinson, Henry, 80; 2039 Vincennes-av. Nov. 25.
Szekley, James, 18 days; 1898 95d-st. Nov. 26.
Szeeds, Mary, 26; 941 Girard-st. Nov. 27.
Stevenson, Mary, 23; 2218 Wood-st. Nov. 27.
Sloan, Charles H., 34; 237 Webster-av. Nov. 26.
Steig, Caroline, 58; 276 Hudson-av. Nov. 26.
Schultz, Robert, 1; 1040 Addison-av. Nov. 28.
Tentman, Martha, 65; 662 W. 14th-pl., Nov. 27.
Tork, Frank, 40; 715 Throop-st. Nov. 27.
Voestle, Max, 19; 52 Goethe-st. Nov. 25.
Vanek, Mabel, 4; 1247 W. 20th-st. Nov. 27.
Wolfson, Magdalena, 20 days; 201 Hervey-st., Nov. 26.
Wienerskiroh, Charles, 78; 6124 Justine-st., Nov. 26.
Wondricka, Eddie, 3 months; 683 May-st., Nov. 26.
Zederbaum, Gertrude, 6; Cook County Insane asylum, Nov. 26.

FOREIGN MAIL SCHEDULE.

FOREIGN MAILS WILL CLOSE AT CHICAGO postoffice as follows:

For Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Egypt, Turkey, Greece, British India, Roumania, Belgium, Cape Colony, Queensland, Curaçao and Marquesa, 11 a. m.

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For Jamaica, West Indies, 12 p. m.
For Manitoba, British Columbia, and Northwest Territory, 9 p. m.
For Austria, Denmark, France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Russia, and Sweden, by S. S. Philadelphia, 12 p. m.
For Ireland, by S. S. Celtic, 12 p. m.
For Argentina, Uruguay, and Paraguay, 11:30 a. m.
For Porto Rico, Curacao, and Venezuela, 11:30 a. m.
For Leeward and Windward islands, 11:30 a. m.
For Puerto, Islands and Colombia, 12 p. m.
For Barbados, 12 p. m.

FRED A. BUSSE, Postmaster.

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SITUATION WANTED—BRIGHT, ENERGETIC, neat appearing young man of 20 desires position with good, reliable firm, or will invest; 2 years' experience; full charge of mail order picture and frame business; d. e. bookkeeper, correspondent, handle credits, claims, advertising, and all detail office work; A1 references as to experience and character; honesty my motto; replies strictly confidential. Address N H 235, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED—BY ALL ROUND MAN, bookkeeper, cashier, or credit; collections; capable, reliable, with good opportunity with manufacturing company; clean record; best references; 5 years in present position; leave only on account of limited opportunity; age 28; married. Address L H 109, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—POSITION OF RESPONsibility requiring intelligent and practical management of office or department; temporarily occupied in bookkeeping; $20 week or better after proving value of services. Address L H 144, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, WHO has had 6 years' experience in office of manufacturing concern, and has had charge of office for two years; has handled pay rolls, etc.; where such experience will be of value; salary $1,500; best of reference. Address J H 111, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, BORN and bred in Chicago, well dressed, of good family, competent to deal with the best class of people, wishes position of clerk in hotel or club or first class cigar store. Address L L 128, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 28 YEARS old, married; experienced bookkeeper and cashier; has had experience with credits and collections; moderate salary; A1 references; will leave city. Address L F 107, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—PHARMACIST, FULL registered, 1st class, would like short hours; capable of managing of laboratory work; young married man; 1st class refs.; Stath-st. experience. WM. J. FALBCEK, 512 S. Wood-st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY ALL AROUND MAN age 26, experienced as bookkeeper, cashier, credit man, asst. mgr.; 10 years' experience in wholesale agency; A1 references; wish change Jan. 1; voluntary. Address L L 124, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — CHRISTIAN MAN, 35 years; experienced; desires position; steady work; place where attention to business will be appreciated; about $16 to start. Address L L 121, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—CORRESPONDENT and claim adjuster; young man; experienced, of good judgment and business ability; clear and direct style; reference. Address L L 188, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY REG. PHARMAcist, in Illinois; 8 years' experience; single, good references; city or country. Address E S 197, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED YOUNG MARRIED man, experienced cashier, bookkeeper, with small concern; capable, ambitious. Address L L 113, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER AND OFFICE MANAGER; 28; THOROUGH ACCOUNTANT AND EFFICIENT; REFERENCE; WILL LEAVE CITY. Address L H 124, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BRAINY OFFICE MAN, can handle men, get results, originate practical, economical systems; $2,000. Address H 116, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED—AS CORRESPONDENT and office man; young man of eight years' experience in wholesale and manufacturing concerns; references. Address L H 106, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED OFFICE work, cashier drug store, hotel office, for room and board, etc.; by young man of 18. Address L K 183, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED — BY YOUNG MAN, 21, in office; have several years of office experience; good penman. Address L J 136, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED—BILL CLERK, GENERal office man, or factory; 6 years' experience; good ref.; 24 years; $15. Address L L 166, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MARRIED MAN ex. dept. or collector, with good house where energy and fidelity are required. Address L J 126, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 22, WELL dressed, educated, wants position; has two years in electrical supply business with two largest houses west of Mississippi River; home city sales experience for electrical goods; can furnish permanently, electrical line preferred, sales dept., street or road; have complete knowledge of office forms and will start at moderate salary to learn; will sign agreement to make good in one week or no salary; do not need money, but a position leading to salesmanship or executive work is most essential; am prepared to make a study of advertising as applied to selling goods. Address L L 120, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—WHOLESALE GROcers, canners and coffee roasters, are you looking for a clean cut, successful, energetic, forceful, and diplomatic salesman, capable of making [specialties] for your department for year 1907, want to hear from houses that are COMERS and packers of high grade products, who will back a salesman's talk on quality, price, etc. P. B. 266, Tribune. NO AGENCIES NEED REPLY.

SITUATION WANTED — SALESMAN, AGE 31, college graduate, married, good address, desires change; northwest territory preferred; am sound of mind and body, with aggressive, but winning, personality. Address A 47, Tribune. Could give 4 weeks of own time to learn new line. Address L L 119, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — AN ENERGETIC, INtelligent specialty salesman, possessing high class selling ability, with seven years' city and road experience, desires first class connection; age 29; single, sober, reliable; A1 references; bond. Address L F 146, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SALES MANAGER; AN aggressive, reliable business man who has services after Jan. 1st in a confidential or executive capacity; have had large experience in handling salesmen. Address L H 134, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED YOUNG MAN, 24 years of age, energetic, good address and of more than ordinary ability, desires position as salesman; would like to learn good line; excellent references. Address L F 153, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SALESMAN, EXPERIenced selling drug or grocery trade, city or road; commission or salary; refs. Address L J 116, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED — WITH RELIABLE firm as traveling salesman, by intelligent, energetic man, 24 years old; of good appearance. Address H 86, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SPECIALTY MAN with three years' experience wants a position on the road for western territory. Salesman, 1929 Chicago-av., Minneapolis, Minn.

SITUATION WANTED—CITY SALESMAN, any line used in carriage or wagon manufacturing; know the business; salary. Address L J 118, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 18 months' experience in office of manufacturing concern; wishes position with chance for advancement; salary $1,000. Address L J 102, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT WOMAN bookkeeper; energetic and with executive ability; capable of taking full charge with good firm; ref. Address L K 141, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG LADY AS bookkeeper; 2½ years' experience; $40 to start; competent, reliable; excellent references; no agencies. Address L L 171, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY, D. E., bookkeeper and cashier, several years' experience wholesale, 2 years in last position leaving charge; A1 ref. Address L H 110, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY BOOKKEEPER, capable, willing worker; can take charge of books and light sten.; $15. Address L M 107, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—ASSISTANT BOOKkeeper or full charge small set; full knowledge journalizing; references. Address L F 109, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—HAVE HAD 5 YEARS' experience in office work and typewriting; will give best of references. Address L K 153, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED—LADY BOOKKEEPER also stenographer. Address L L 112, Tribune.

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Trades.

SITUATION WANTED—SUPERINTENDENT OR assistant of plant manufacturing deep drawn and stamped steel metal goods, by a thoroughly competent mechanic of good executive ability and full knowledge of factory details. Address L L 135, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MECHANICAL engineer, several years' practical work covering this country and Mexico; ability descriptive writing; trade paper or the like. Address L K 126, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY ENGINEER AND draftsman, evening work; tracing, detailing, estimating, designing, steel and reinforced concrete bldg., foundations, etc. Address L J 175, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY ELECTRICAL ENgineer and draftsman; experienced in power plant or special machinery lines. Address L F 155, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—HONEST AND SOBER man, age 26, 6 years' exp. in plumbing, steam and fitting; reasonable salary. Address L L 170, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY MECHANICAL DRAUGHTSMAN; 4 YRS. EXPERIENCE. TOGETHER WITH 4 YEARS OF PRACTical machine shop work. Address H 870, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AI CABINETMAKER, able to take charge of factory, or act position of trust; reliable, strictly temperate; good reference. Address N K 219, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MECHANICAL engineer; shop and road experience; asst. engineer gas engine, electric construction; Mexico; present firm leaving the city. Address L H 140, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—FOREMAN, EITHER inside or outside; am experienced machinist, tool and die maker. R. H. K., 793 S. Homan-av.

SITUATION WANTED—BY TOOLMAKER; would like to learn jeweler's trade; reliable firm; wages reasonable. Address L L 181, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED — BY DIEMAKER; 30; metal and hardware specialties; take charge preferred; $21 per week. Address L L 100, Tribune.

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SITUATION WANTED — AS ATHLETIC JAPANese, willing to work, and has good character and neatness for the accommodation of butler working; $35 month; best refs. Address L L 186, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 28, OF good habits, for valet or butler for private family or party; best of references furnished. Address L L 117, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—GERMAN HOUSEMAN; 5 years employ last; private family; refs. Address L L 111, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED housemaid; first class refs. Address L K 161, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—GERMAN; SINGLE; care of furnace, housework; handy with tools; city or suburbs; refs. Address L F 191, Tribune.

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5716 WASHINGTON-AV.—A HOMELIKE PLACE near fine transportation; 12 min. to city; large enough so a good table can be afforded; fine, clean south front rooms; suitable for 2 gentlemen or three connecting; some very economical arrangements for families. Phone 1243 H. P.

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5424 RHODES-AV.—ELEGANT LARGE DOUble parlors; closets, console, bath, steam; newly furnished; exceptional home for bachelors or couples; fine transp.; board optional. Phone Douglas 1884.

5116 EAST END-AV.—MOST BEAUTIFUL LOcation on South Side, facing lake; by Chicago Beach Hotel; 10 minutes' ride to city; choice and handsomely furnished rooms; exceptional table; home comforts. L. C. express.

5103 MICHIGAN-AV., PHONE CALUMET 1748.—Unusually attractive rooms, newly furnished and decorated, with excellent board; steam heat, lavatory; suitable for two; from $12 to $18 a week.

5630 ST. LAWRENCE-AV., NEAR 57TH.—FINE LOCATION; splendid front room; excellent board; home cooking; steam heat; convenient to steam, elevated, and surface transportation; rates reasonable; references.

5074 MICHIGAN-AV.—BEAUTIFULLY FURnished rooms; excellent board; real home cooking; steam heat; reasonable rates. DOUGLAS 8708.

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5247 INDIANA-AV.—LARGE, LIGHT STEAM rm.; breakfast, with family board, 1 or 2 persons; elevated or Indiana-av. transportation. Phone Gray 1586. MRS. ENGLE.

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A REAL HOME WITH ALL CONVENIENCES and plenty of good things to eat for 2 young men or young ladies or a couple who have a few young people with them. Call at 541 E. 35d.

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4547 CALUMET-AV., FLAT 1—STEAM HEATED modern front and side rooms, any size, with best table board; $4.50 and up; ¼ block L station. Phone Oakland 2.

5716 ELLIS-AV. — LARGE COMFORTABLE front room; lavatory; private home; phone; good table. Phone Douglas 1253 H. P.

5621 PRAIRIE-AV., 2D FLAT—HANDSOMELY furn. room; all conveniences; first class table; to adults; widow's home; near 56th st. sta. Tel. [illegible].

4406 LAKE-AV.—LARGE FRONT ROOM, TWO closets; running water. Also 3d floor front room for 2 gentlemen; good home table.

4227 PRAIRIE — BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED front room; excellent board, suitable for two gentlemen; half a block from S. S. L. sta.

614 ENGLEWOOD-AV.—ABSOLUTELY MODern rooms; everything new; excellent table; cleaned, decorated throughout; surface cars.

5850 LAKE-AV.—NEWLY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms; first class board; every convenience; Illinois Central and Cottage Grove transportation.

6530 EGGLESTON-AV.—SUNNY FRONT NEWLY furnished room and board with private family; all conveniences.

1 SIST-ST. AND LAKE PARK-AV.—FINELY furnished room; excellent board; warm house; suite rooms for family.

5359 PRAIRIE-AV. 3D FLAT—NICELY FURnished light, south front room; block from 53d I. and Washington park; excellent board.

LARGE FRONT ROOM AND BOARD; 2 YOUNG men; private family; adults; piano; h. w. heat; most convenient references. Phone 2727 Oakland.

6418 LEXINGTON-AV.—FRONT SUITE, WITH board; dainty cooking; lavatory; steam; second floor; L. C. and L transportation. 2 H. 8048.

SECOND FLOOR—2 ATTRACTIVE ROOMS, with board; I. C. and L transportation. Phone 1886 Hyde Park.

4338 PRAIRIE-AV.—REFINED JEWISH PEOple can find elegant board and room; all conveniences.

5808 INDIANA-AV., 1ST FLAT—ROOM AND board, to refined lady. Tel. Wentworth 1441. 8. S. L.

6400 HARVARD-AV.—ROOM AND BOARD; nicely furnished front room, with private bath; good transportation; telephone.

4009 LAKE-AV., APT. 9—BEAUTIFULLY FURnished outside rooms; single or en suite; choice location; home table. Phone Douglas 3136.

5063 RICHMOND-AV.—LOVELY, WELL STEAM heated rooms; excellent board; ref. Phone 1132 Calumet.

263 E. 35TH-ST.—SINGLE ROOM WITH BOARD; convenient to Illinois Central; express trains. Telephone Hyde Park 3332.

1801 MICHIGAN-AV.—CORNER RESIDENCE, elegantly furnished rooms; steam heat; superior board for refined people; walking dist.

4751 PRAIRIE-AV.—HANDSOMELY FURN rooms; next to first class boarding house; best transp.

4215 ELLIS-AV.—DOUBLE ROOM; RUNNING water; also single room; board; references.

5400 INDIANA-AV.—NICELY FURNISHED front room with splendid table; home cooking. Phone.

267 MICHIGAN-AV.—NEAR AUDITORIUM, best room, table, and refs. for refined couple.

2940 MICHIGAN-AV.—ROOMS WITH BOARD; single and double; $4 up. Douglas 3076.

1840 WASHTENAW-AV.—ROOMS, $2.50 UPWARDS with board; $5 upwards; steam, elevator; ref.

5359 PRAIRIE-AV. 2D FLAT—FRONT ROOM and board; gentlemen; private family; refs.

4546 INDIANA-AV.—NICELY FURN. COUPLE OR gentlemen, in refined, modern home; refs.

284 E. 53D-ST.—LARGE FRONT ROOM, WITH board, for two; L. exp. Phone Hyde Park 3606.

4626 INDIANA-AV.—PRIVATE JEWISH FAMily; fine board and rooms; reasonable.

2932 IND.-AV.—DAY BOARD; ELEGANT FUR. rooms; large; steam, hot water.

5845 ELLIS-AV.—SPLENDID STEAM HEATED east rooms, furnished; board. Phone Doug. 1166.

180 OAKWOOD-BLVD. — PLEASANT ROOMS; table and service first class; two, $10.

5630 LAKE-AV.—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS WITH board; steam heat; ref.; detached house.

6200 WASHINGTON-AV. 2D APT.—ROOM, with board; near Illinois Central elevated; reference exchanged. Phone Hyde Park 3[illegible].

4126 DREXEL-BLVD.—FINE BOARD; EXCELlent table; steam heat. Phone Drexel 8069.

216 E. 35D-ST. FLAT M.—ELEGANT FRONT room; modern; steam; board; reasonable.

HYDE PARK BOULEVARD APARTMENTS, 1 furnished room with board; I. C.

5411 WABASH-AV. — CON. FRONT ROOMS, modern; good board; 2 gentlemen; $10; refs.

3621 MICHIGAN-AV.—LARGE DOUBLE STEAM heated single rooms with excellent board.

4209 ELLIS-AV. — PLEASANT ROOM WITH board; steam; table boarders wanted; refs.

5104 CORNELL-AV.—COMFORTABLE ROOM with board; steam heated.

2244 MICHIGAN-AV.—LARGE FRONT SINGLE room, running water; home table; phone.

5620 WASHINGTON-BLVD.—FURNISHED rooms with best board; all conveniences.

580 48TH-PL. COR. GRAND-BLVD.—BEAUTIful furnished large front room, with board.

West Side.

THE GLENWOOD, 166-172 ASHLAND-BLVD.—Beautifully furnished steam heated rooms; hot water at all times; excellent home cooked meals, served in the finest manner; light, clean dining rooms; fine residence location; 12 minutes' ride to city on 6 different car lines. Phone West 2553.

511 PARK-AV.—FINE LARGE, WELL FURN. SO. EXPOSURE; BATH; BOARD; ALL CONVS.; WITH FINE HOME COOKING; GOOD TRANSPORTATION. PHONE 8088 ASHLAND.

558 N. ASHLAND-BLVD.—NICE, SINGLE front room; good table, good service; all conveniences.

TWO OR THREE GENTLEMEN—PERMANENT; good table, home comforts; private; on boulevard. Address E 564, Tribune.

158 PARK-AV., NEAR ROBEY-ST. — SINGLE front room for gentlemen; board; hot water heat; good transportation.

602 WALNUT-ST. 2D FLAT—ROOM AND board; furnace heat; for two young ladies who would enjoy home comforts; private family; ref.

767 W. MONROE-ST.—LARGE, BEAUTIFUL front room with board for 3 or 4 gents or man and wife; private family; phone, piano.

581 N. ASHLAND-BLVD.—SUNNY FRONT ROOM, board for 2; steam heat; walking distance.

504 W. ADAMS-ST.—WARM ROOM, WITH board; small private family.

LARGE, SUNNY FRONT ROOMS, with excellent home table; references.

1807 HARRISON—BOARD; 1 OR 2 LADIES; south front room; bath; reasonable.

491 MONROE-ST.—FRONT WARM SINGLE ROOM; excellent board; pleasant home; trans.

424 WARREN-AV. — LARGE FRONT ROOM; good board; running water; phone; good location.

North Side.

895 DEARBORN-AV.—ROOMS, WITH BOARD; also one with private bath; rens.; walk. dist.

1760 PEMBERTON-AV. 2D FLOOR—FINE rooms; board for 2; private; modern.

264 DEARBORN-AV.—ELEGANT SINGLE AND double rooms, with board; mod.; private; steam.

537 LA SALLE-AV.—ROOMS, WITH BOARD; steam heat. Phone 5724 Dearborn.

511 E. DRAKE-CT.—FRONT; MODERN DOUBLE room with board; steam; also single.

550 E. ERIE-ST.—ROOMS AND BOARD; EXcellent table; gentlemen; steam; modern; refs.

1244 DEARBORN-AV.—MODERN FRONT ROOMS; steam heat; walk. dist.; excellent table $5.50 up.

515 HAMPDEN-CT.—SECOND FLOOR—SINGLE room; hot water heat.

5628 E. HURON-ST.—DON'T ALONE HAS LOVE, for here rooms with board. Phone White 125.

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THE ALCAZAR INN, 1451 WINDSOR-AV.—TWO 2 room suites or one single room, with board, are open for reservation today in this well appointed and exclusive family home, in best residential district of Sheridan Park; particularly adapted for business men and women; one block east of Sheridan-rd. and south of Wilson; N. W. Wilson-av. station, 19 mins. downtown. Telephone Edgewater 1062.

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408 DEARBORN-AV. — HANDSOMELY FURnished suite of 3 rooms on the parlor floor; finest and most convenient location; also have newly decorated double room; we will rent for $5 week each for 2; other rooms, steam heat, all conveniences; excellent table.

814 WINTHROP-AV.—3D FLAT—NICELY FURnished double or single rooms; finest residence part N. S.; steam; everything modern; 3 blocks to Wilson-av. express station; board optional; rates reasonable.

MAISON DU NORD, 16 ASTOR-ST., NEAR Lake Shore-drive and Division—We cater to people who appreciate a refined, homelike atmosphere, comfortable beds, wholesome food at reasonable rates; 16 min. to business center.

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3039 KENMORE-AV., FLAT 2D—IF YOU WANT a beautiful furnished room with board, in private family, call near Wilson-av. N. W. L. and Graceland 3614.

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326 WINTHROP-AV., COR. AINSLIE—LARGE beautiful front rooms; single or en suite; excellent board; modern; private home; hot water heat; 5 lines of transportation; fine location; refs.

251 DEARBORN-AV.—NEWLY FURNISHED rooms, single or en suite; also table board; dressmakers, etc.; newly decorated; comforts of home; freedom hotel life; $6 up with board.

SECOND STORY FRONT ROOM, NORTH SIDE, corner house; all conveniences; excellent board; privilege of parlor; piano; phone. Address E P 196, Tribune.

27 BELLEVUE-PL. — HANDSOMELY FURnished rooms with board; near Lake Shore-drive; walking distance.

TRUGIA, 474 DEARBORN-AV.—LIGHT AND exceedingly pleasant room for 2; all conveniences; 1st class board; terms moderate.

27 DELAWARE-PL. — NICELY FURNISHED rooms; every convenience; table board; desirable location; walking dist. Phone 402 White.

655 LA SALLE-AV.—$5 UP. EXCELLENT board; homelike accommodations; rooms light; front and rear; 1 block Clark-st. car.

766 N. PARK-AV 1ST APT.—LARGE FRONT room and alcove bedroom, modern; opp. Lincoln Park; private family; home cooking; reasonable.

440 LA SALLE-AV.—REFINED GENTLEMAN wishes 2 roomers; excellent board; also roommate for nice young lady. Black 419.

5616 BELLEVUE-PL.—NICELY FURN. ROOMS, with board; steam heat; convenient to N. State-st. electric line, or walk. dist. Phone 2283 Black.

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964 S. TRUMBULL-AV., NEAR OGDEN—Large front room, with board; 2 or 3 men; modern; private family; $5.

508 DEARBORN-AV.—DELIGHTFUL ROOMS; strictly modern; home comforts; excellent cuisine; reasonable.

PERSONS DESIRING TO STUDY FRENCH can find good room and board in private French family. Address E 501, Tribune.

129 LOCUST-ST., FLAT 7, COR. LA SALLE-AV. —Beautiful rooms, with board, $5 up; steam, phone, hot water; select location; walking dist.

1433 MONTROSE-BLVD. — DESIRABLE ROOM and board in private family for married couple or single gentleman. Irving 5085.

1775 SHERIDAN-RD.—LADY WITH FINE APT. near N. W. L. express will give 2 gentlemen comfortable home. Phone Gracelend 5665.

481 FULLERTON-AV.—ROOM AND BOARD; near express station. Phone 6868 Dearborn.

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DREXEL ARMS HOTEL—JUST OPENED—Drexel and Oakwood-blvds.; finest location and transportation; everything new and of high class; 100 rooms, private baths, beautiful lobby, office, and dining hall; unexcelled cuisine. Your inspection invited. Phone Oakland 848.

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TO RENT—5506 ELLIS-AV., LIGHT, WARM rooms; single or en suite; reasonable; near I. C. and electric.

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TO RENT—LARGE FRONT ROOM, SUITABLE for gentleman; electric light, unlimited phone Wentworth 2401, home privileges; best transportation, S. L. & W. S. R. R. and surface cars. 6781 Parnell-av.

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TO RENT — COMFORTABLY FURNISHED front room; double or single; excellent transportation; modern apartment; employed people; ladies or gentlemen. 3948 Indiana-av. LANGBECK.

TO RENT—IN PRIVATE HOME, ONE LARGE suite or single room for refined couple or gentleman; running water and every possible convenience; board optional. 3914 Prairie-av.

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TO RENT—ELEGANTLY FURN FRONT ROOM; large closets; electric light, brass bed; all conv.; ¼ block 51st L. 5218 Indiana-av. Apt. 1.

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TO RENT—MEDIUM WARM ROOM; PRIVATE family; 2 windows; $3 per week; respectable gentleman or lady, employed. 4136 Lake-av.

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Pre-Holiday Conditions Prevail in All Markets—Northwestern Receipts in Excess of Last Year's—No Support from Liverpool—Corn Rules Firmer—December Longs Sell Oats—Hog Products Ease Off After Early Firmness, Except November Lard.

The feature of yesterday's wheat market was the liquidating by the December longs. This selling overshadowed the support, which at times had good color. The feeling was that on the softer spots the nearby option was a purchase. Some of the more important longs in the nearby month displayed a disposition to wait. While delivery day is but a few hours over the holiday, there are numerous traders who believe that purchases of the December carry the prospects of profit with them. Trading served to widen the difference between the December and the May to 5¾c, transactions at this difference, however, being unimportant in the aggregate. News again was of a mixed character the bears claiming the better part of it.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Nov. 27.	Close Nov. 26.
Nov.	....	....	....	72	72¾
Dec.	73¼-73¾	73¾	72⅝	72⅝-¾	73¾
May	78⅝-¾-¼	78⅞	78	78-⅛	78⅝
July	77⅛	77⅞	77⅛-¼	77⅛-¼	78

CORN.

Nov.	....	....	....	43⅝	43⅝
Dec.	42⅝-43-43	43¼	42¼-43	43¼-½	43
May	43⅝-¾-¼	44	43⅝-¾	43⅝	43⅝-½
July	44⅝	44⅞-½	44⅝	44⅝	44¼-⅝

OATS.

Dec.	33⅝	33⅝	33¼	33¼-⅜	33⅝
May	34⅞-.35	.35	34⅝	34⅞-.35	34¾
July	32¼-32⅜	.33	32⅛	32⅛	32⅜

MESS PORK.

Jan.	14.65	14.65	14.52½	14.55	14.60
May	15.02½	15.02½	14.87½	14.97½	14.90

LARD.

Nov.	9.47½	9.50	9.47½	9.50	9.25
Dec.	8.75	8.75	8.67½	8.67½	8.70
Jan.	8.50	8.52½	8.45	8.47½	8.47½
May	8.47½	8.50	8.45	8.45	8.47½

SHORT RIBS.

Jan.	7.82½	7.85	7.75	7.77½	7.77½
May	7.95	7.95	7.90	7.90	7.90

Northwestern Receipts Larger.

For the first time in many weeks the receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth amounted to more than those of the corresponding day last year—545 cars, against 537 cars. This change in complexion, however, was not given much significance, inasmuch as blizzardly conditions served to restrict the arrivals last year. The primaries—880,000 bu—were in excess of those of a year ago. Another factor that worked for the bearish cause was the Kansas state crop report, which showed an estimated total yield of 93,000,000 bu, or about 10,000,000 bu in excess of what the government had figured upon. The condition of the growing grain in the Sunflower state was given as 93.7, against 80 last December, and 70 last June. Weather conditions were propitious throughout the important sections of the country. Clearances at the seaboard, wheat and flour, were the equivalent of 514,000 bu. Throughout the session there was considerable changing for concerns that had been accounted representatives of eastern houses. Local receipts were 30 cars, compared to an estimate of 33 cars. Liverpool wound up unchanged to ½d lower. In the early operations the English market showed a little firmer.

It appeared to many in the trade that a good part of the variously estimated eastern line of wheat came into the market. An important local house declared that recent acceptances of his sent to Oklahoma and Kansas had met with good response from the holders of the grain. Sentiment at Minneapolis apparently had a better color. From that point came advices to the effect that the recent estimates of the disappointing yield in the three leading spring wheat states received further verification. Final prices for wheat were 72¾@72¼c for December, 78@78⅛c for May, and 77⅛@77¼c for July.

Tone of Corn Market Firm.

Continued light receipts and unfavorable weather conditions in important sections of the belt figured among factors which worked for more strength in the corn market. That the short interest in the December is extensive is shown by the short covering in that month against the selling of the May. Generally light stocks also had a good influence in the market. The Liverpool market ruled firmer, closing ¼d up, largely on the expectation of lighter exports from the Argentine.

According to King of Toledo the Kansas yield of corn is 187,000,000 bu, or 17,000,000 bu under the estimate given out by the government. Corn at the local cash tables was in good inquiry, with prices ruling about ½c higher. Seaboard clearances were 87,000 bu. Local receipts amounted to 33 cars, of which 13 graded contract, against an estimate of 64 cars. Final prices for the cereal showed gains of ¼@¼c for December and 1-16c for May and July.

Oats Market Lacks Interest.

There was not much out of the ordinary in the oats market. Spurts of liquidating of the December, combined with the disappointingly poor shipping demand, took the edge off prices. Surface conditions indicated that the liquidation in the nearby month had been about spent. Seaboard clearances were 74,000 bu. Local receipts were 128 cars, of which 21 graded standard, or 5 cars under the estimate. Final prices showed ⅛@¼c lower for December, 1-16c lower for May, and unchanged for July.

Covering in November Lard.

In the early operations provisions displayed a moderate degree of firmness, but as the session wore on the usual prechiday desire to reduce worry militated against the upturn. The early strength was based largely upon continued light receipts of hogs here and at other leading western points. It was figured by men in the trade that the actual receipts of swine would fall more than 25,000 under the estimate. The western points reported arrivals of 69,500 hogs, against 89,500 last year.

One of the features of the dull market was the sharp covering of November lard by scattered shorts. The current option on this product has shown congestion for several days, nervousness among the shorts apparently growing more pronounced as the dawn of December approaches. Final prices showed 2½@5c lower for pork, 25c higher for November lard, the other months in that product showing a bare shade lower, and ribs practically unchanged.

Rye in Narrow Limits.

Rye trading was of narrow proportions, with prices easy. Receipts were 10 cars. No. 2 free on board sold at 68@69¼c; No. 3, 66@68½c; no grade, 67c. November was 64½c bid; December, 64½c bid. May sold at 68c.

Barley was quiet, trade being limited by the small offerings. Arrivals were 27 cars. Feed was quoted 42@44c; malting was 45@55c; screenings, 30@43c.

Flaxseed was dull and unchanged. No. 1 northwestern was quoted $1.19½; No. 1, $1.11½; May, $1.14. Receipts were 40 cars at Minneapolis and 132 cars at Duluth.

Timothy seed was strong. Country lots of cash seed were quoted $3.00@4.10; November, $4.25 bid; December, $4.30 bid; March, $4.45 bid, $4.55 asked.

Cloverseed was dull and firm, at $13.40 for contract spot and $8.50@13.00 for country lots.

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 or Standard.	No. 3.	Low grade.	Total.
Winter wheat	3	11	6	10
Spring wheat	..	..	5	5
Durum wheat	..	..	..	..
Corn	25	..	3	1
Oats	13	10	41	64
Rye	5	..	4	10
Barley	1	..	13	27
Totals	48	10	112	105

Inspected out from store: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 115,053 bu; No. 2 red, 4,068 bu; No. 1 northern, 2,059 bu; No. 4 spring, 1,174 bu. Oats—Standard, 3,836 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 4 cars; No. 2 red, 2 cars; No. 1 northern, 1 car. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 8 cars; and 68,400 bu; No. 3 yellow, 49 cars; No. 3 white, 7 cars; No. 2, 20 cars; No. 3, 29 cars. Oats—No. 3 white, 31 cars; clipped white, 11 cars; No. 2, 3 cars; No. 3, 1 car; No. 4, 1 car; standard, 4 cars and 14,000 bu.

Range of Indemnities.

	Ups			Downs		
Wheat—	High.	Low.	Close.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec	72¾	72½	72¾	72¾	72½	72½-¾
May	78¾	78⅝	78⅝	77⅞	77⅝	*77⅝
Corn—						
May	....	....	45⅞	....	....	45⅞

*Sellers.

Primary Movement.

	Wheat— Receipts.	Shipts.	Corn— Receipts.	Shipts.
Chicago	360,000	160,000	638,000	280,000
Last week	882,000	501,000	556,000	324,000
Last year	834,000	325,000	645,000	552,000
1904	885,000	777,000	746,000	605,000

Oats—Receipts, 617,000 bu; shipments, 588,000 bu.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Firm. Winter wheat, patents, jute, $3.35@3.50; straight, jute, $3.25@3.50; clear, jute, $2.75@2.85; spring wheat flour, favorite brands, $4.80; Minnesota hard patents, jute, $4.10@4.20; Minnesota hard, straight, spring [export bags], $3.25@3.50; clear [export bags], $3.10@3.25; second clears, $2.50@2.90; low grades, $2.30@2.45; rye flour, brls, $3.40@3.50; sacks, $3.10@3.20.

WINTER WHEAT—½@¾c lower. Sales in store and to go to store: Mixed lots, 25,000 bu. Free on board, switched and delivered: No. 3 red, 74c; No. 3 hard, 73¼c; No. 2 hard, 74¼c.

SPRING WHEAT—Easy. Sales free on board or switched: No. 4, 66@74c; No. 2, 80c.

CORN—¼@¾c higher. Sales in store and to go to store: Mixed lots, 50,000 bu on p. t. Sales on track and free on board: No. 4, 41@43c; No. 4 yellow, 40¾@41¾c; No. 3, 42@45¼c; No. 3 yellow, 42¾@43¾c; No. 2 yellow, 45@48¼c; No. 4 white, 40½c; No. 3 white, 42@42¾c; No. 2 white, 47c; ears, 43½c. Billed through: No. 4, 39½c; No. 4 yellow, 40@41c; No. 3, 40¾c; No. 3 yellow, 41¾@42c; No. 2, 41½@44¼c; No. 2 yellow, 47¼c; No. 3 white, 40¾@42c; No. 2 white, 44¾c.

OATS—Steady. Sales in store and to go to store: No. 2 white, 36c; white clipped, 75,000 bu. Sales on track and free on board: No. 4 white, 29@32¼c; No. 3 white, 32¼@34¾c; standard, 34@35¼c; No. 2, 32¼@34¼c; No. 2 white, 35¼c. Billed through: No. 4 white, 31¼@32c; No. 3 white, 32¾@33¼c; standard, 34@34¾c; No. 2, 32½c; No. 2 white, 34½c.

RYE—Easy. Sales free on board: No. 2, 68@69¼c; No. 3, 65@65¾c; no grade, 67c.

BARLEY—Steady. Sales free on board, switched and delivered: Screenings, 36@39c; barley, 39@55c. To arrive: By sample—10,000 bu on p. t. Call sales: No. 4 February delivery, 47¾c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Easy. Cash lots: Mess pork, $15.00 for regular; lard, $9.50; short ribs, $8.00@8.62½ according to weight.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $19.50@20.00; extra mess beef, $8.75@9.00; plate beef, $9.25@9.50; extra plate beef, $9.75@10.00. Tallow—Steady at 7@7¼c for edible, 6¼@6¾c for prime packers, 6¼@6¾c for No. 1 do, and 5¾@6¼c for No. 2 do; 6¼@6¾c for choice city rendevera, 6¾@6¾c prime country, 5¾@5¾c for No. 2 do. Oleostearine—In fair demand and quotably steady at 11¾@11¾c.

GREASE—Steady at 5¾@6¼c for brown, 5¼@5¾c for yellow, 6¼@6¾c for house, 6¾@6¾c for B white, 6¼@6¾c for A white, and 6¼@6¾c for choice white.

COOPERAGE—Steady. Ash pork brls, $1.22½@1.25; oak pork brls, $1.27½@1.30; lard tcs, $1.60@1.65 for wood bound.

WHISKY—Steady on a basis of $1.29 for finished goods.

TURKEY DEMAND DISAPPOINTS.

The demand for dressed turkeys proved disappointing yesterday, and, while offerings did not seem to be burdensome, the market had a weak tone, prices closing at a decline of 1c.

VEGETABLES.

Beets, sacks	40c	Onions, bu	40@45c
Celery, boxes	65c@$1.10	Peppers, crates	$3.50@4.50
Cauliflower, new, per box	$3.00	Potatoes, bu	30@45c
Carrots, sacks	35@40c	Do sweet, brls	$1.50@2.25
Cabbage, per ton	$8.00@9.00	Radishes, brls	$4.00@5.00
Cucumbers, per doz	65c@$1.00	Squash, hampers	$1.50
Egg plant, crates	$3.50@4.00	Tomatoes, 4 baskets	..
Green peas, Louisiana, hmprs	$1.00@1.25	Cal	$2.20@2.40
Lettuce, brls	$3.00@3.50	Turnips, bu	75c
Do leaf, cases	40@45c	Spinach, boxes	60@75c
		String beans, Louisiana, bu	$1.50@4.00
		Pea beans, bu	$1.40@1.42

FRUIT.

Apples, brls	$1.75@3.00	baskets	12@25c
Bananas, bunch	75c@$1.50	Oranges, box	$2.25@3.50
Grape fruit, box	$2.50@3.50	Pineapples, crates	$2.25@6.00
Grapes, Catawbas, 4 lb baskets	16@17c	Quinces, brl	$1.50@2.75
Do N. Y. Concords	..	Cranberries, brl	$7.50@12.00
		Lemons, box	$3.50@4.50

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, extra fine, 80 per cent fresh	32c	Creamery, extra	29c
Do prime firsts	30c	Firsts	26@27½c
Do at mark, general receipts, cases included	27c	Seconds	24@25c
Do storage firsts	22½c	Packing goods	17@18c
Butter, dairies	25c	Cheese, twins	13@13½c
Cooler's	..	Do daisies	13¼c
		Do Limburger	16½c
		Do Swiss, block	13½c

POULTRY.

Chickens, fowls	7½c	Dressed turkeys	15@17c
Spring chickens	8@16c	Dressed ducks	10@11c
Turkeys	16c	Dressed spring chickens	8@9½c
Ducks	9½@10c	Dressed fowls	8½@9c
Live geese, per doz	6.00@9.00	Dressed geese	8@10c

VEAL.

50@60 lb weights	6@6¼c	Kidney	2@2½c
60@65 lbs	7¼@8½c	150 lbs and up	4@6c
90@100 lb. good	..		

IN THE NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The dry goods market is strong and active on cotton goods. Leading lines of printed goods are held at value. Fleeced underwear is reported sold for the fall of 1907. Raw silk is higher in sympathy with foreign market advances. Carded woolen goods are quiet and firm. Jobbers did an active trade for the day. The volume of forward business is increasing.

Metals—Tin in London higher; spot, £198 2s 6d; futures, £198 12s 6d. Locally, steady; spot $43.25 bid, and $43.40 asked. Copper—Unchanged to 5s higher in London; spot, £101 12s; futures, £102 15s. Locally, firm; lake, $22.25@22.75; electrolytic, $22.00@22.25; casting, $21.75@22.00. Lead—$5.75@6.00; £19 5s in London. Spelter—£23 in London; at $6.40@6.45 in the local market. Iron in the English market—Standard foundry, 39s 9d; Cleveland warrants, 60s 4½d; No. 1 foundry northern, $25.25@26.25; No. 2 foundry northern, $24.75@25.75; No. 1 foundry southern, $25.50@27.50; No. 2 foundry southern, $25.00@27.00. Antimony—Cookson's, 25¾@26c; Hallett's, 23¾@25¼c; other brands, 24@24½c. In the London market Hallett's, £110; ordinary brands, £109.

Butter—Receipts, 6,730. Street price, extra creamery, 30@30½c; official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 21@30c; held seconds to extra, 29@28½c; state dairy, common to fancy, 20@28c; renovated, common to extra, 17@25c; western factory firsts, 20½@21c; western imitation creamery firsts, 21@23c. Eggs—Receipts, 5,210. State, Pennsylvania, and nearby fancy selected white, 42c; choice, 38@40c; mixed fancy, 38@40c; western finest selected, 32@34c; official price, firsts, 32c; seconds, 27@30c. Poultry—Alive, steady. Turkeys, 15c; dressed, irregular. Western chickens, 12@16c; turkeys, 14@18c; fowls, 9@13½c.

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Official announcement is made that the Electric Bond and Share company of New York, which has been organized to take over the Electric Company of America, will exchange collateral trust 5 per cent gold bonds equivalent to a value of $14 per share, which are secured by a pledge of the securities turned in by the Electric Company of America. These bonds will also be secured in the sum of $1,000,000, which will be paid to a trustee to constitute a fund which can be used only for betterments and extensions to the Electric Company of America properties.

Corn Products Trade Policy.

The Corn Products Refining company has decided to try a kind of rebate plan in its effort to hold customers. The plan seems, however, to cultivate good will while retaining patronage.

The company announces that it will set aside out of its profits from the manufacture and sale of glucose and sale of grape sugar for the last six months of 1906 an amount equal to 10c per hundred pounds on all shipments of glucose and grape sugar. Warwick anhydro and bread sugar excepted, which shall have been made by the company from July 1 to Dec. 31, 1906.

This amount will be paid to customers on Dec. 31, 1907, on condition that for the remainder of the year 1906 and the entire year of 1907 they shall have purchased exclusively from the Corn Products Refining company all the glucose and grape sugar required for use.

Interborough Rapid Transit.

The Interborough Rapid Transit company realized $6,776,643 from the sale of 40,000 shares Manhattan railway stock disposed of at auction. The high price was 143. J. & W. Seligman & Co. and Redmond & Co., associates, bought a total of 38,000 shares at an average of 141⅛.

Dividends Declared.

Directors of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western have declared an extra dividend of 10 per cent, which is usually declared at this time of the year, payable on Dec. 15. Books close on Dec. 5 and reopen on Dec. 16.

The International Paper company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on the preferred stock, payable on Jan. 2. Books close on Dec. 15 and reopen on Jan. 3.

The Trethewey Silver Cobalt Mine, Ltd., has declared a quarterly dividend of 4 per cent, payable on Dec. 20 to stock of record on Dec. 5. W. G. Trethewey and W. Murphy have retired from the board and M. Hay and S. A. Wickett have been elected in their stead and appointed president and vice president, respectively.

Railroad Earnings.

ROCK ISLAND-FRISCO.

The Rock Island report for October:		Inc
Gross	$ 3,369,337	$ 2
Operating exp. and taxes	2,186,064	2
Net	1,883,203	
From July 1 to Oct. 1—		
Gross	19,726,699	1,8
Operating exp. and taxes	13,095,687	1,7
Net	6,630,909	8
Frisco lines for October—includes Chicago, Eastern Illinois railroad.		
Gross	4,228,726	2
Operating exp. and taxes	2,737,977	2
Net	1,490,759	
From July 1—		
Gross	35,881,442	1,9
Operating exp. and taxes	19,580,336	1,7
Net	5,301,106	8

LEHIGH VALLEY.

October, gross	3,177,149	1
Operating expenses	1,880,922	1
Net	1,297,027	
Other income	111,357	
Total income	1,749,184	
Additions and improvmts.	128,685	
Net	1,270,499	
From July 1—		
Gross	12,909,704	1,1
Operating expenses	7,135,328	
Net	5,474,371	
Other income	434,760	
Total income	5,909,162	
Additions and improvmts.	1,602,792	
Surplus	4,306,370	

EVANSVILLE AND TERRE HAUTE.
Including Evansville and Indianapolis—

October, gross	264,381	
Operating expenses	160,212	
Net	95,168	
From July 1—		
Gross	808,879	
Operating exp. and taxes	426,154	
Net	382,725	

*Decrease.

New York Curb Transactions

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.
Am. Tob	1,500	370	370	370
Boston Cons	2,000	32¾	32¾	32¾
Cal. Copper	3,700	13¾	13¾	12¾
Cananea Cent	1,400	50¾	50¾	50¾
Chi. Subway	400	50¾	50¾	50¾
Cumb. Silver	3,100	12	12	11
Davis Daly	500	12¾	13	12¾
Dom. Copper, new	1,800	5	5¼	5
Dolores	100	33¾	34	33¾
Electric Boat	100	33	33	33
El. cons	100	78	78	78
Foster Cobalt	500	5¾	5¾	5¾
Florence Creek	100	2¾	2¾	2¾
Giroux	100	3¾	3¾	3¾
Gold Hill	10	10	10	10
Granby	4,800	6¾	6¾	6¾
Gt. Nor. Ore w. i.	8,400	33	33½	33
Greene Con	35,000	26¾	28¾	26¾
Hecla	200	215	215	215
Isaac	175	17¾	17¾	17¾
Nev. Con	500	12¾	12¾	12¾
Nipissing	1,200	10¾	10¾	10¾
Rawhide	100	1¾	1¾	1¾
Rex Zeph	2,500	10¾	10¾	10¾
Standard Oil	100	670	670	670
Tenn. Copper	1,000	45¾	45¾	45¾
Tonopah Ext	1,000	4¾	4¾	4¾
Tonopah Min	1,000	4¾	4¾	4¾
Trethewey	1,000	2¾	2¾	2¾
Utah Con	1,000	8¾	8¾	8¾
Utah Copper	1,000	45¾	45¾	45¾
Yukon Gold	1,000	5¾	5¾	5¾

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Electric Company of America.

Official announcement is made that the Electric Bond and Share company of New York, which has been organized to take over the Electric Company of America, will exchange collateral trust 5 per cent gold bonds equivalent to a value of $14 per share, to be secured by a pledge of the securities turned in by the Electric Company of America. The bonds will also be secured in the sum of $1,000,000, which will be paid to a trustee and constitute a fund which can be used only for betterments and extensions to the Electric Company of America properties.

Corn Products Trade Policy.

The Corn Products Refining company has decided to try a kind of rebate plan in an effort to hold customers. The plan seeks, however, to cultivate good will while retaining patronage.

The company announces that it will set aside out of its profits from the manufacture and sale of glucose and sale of grape sugar for the last six months of 1906 an amount equal to 10c per hundred pounds on all shipments of glucose and grape sugar, Warner's anhydro and bread sugar excepted, which shall have been made by the company from July 1 to Dec. 31, 1906.

This amount will be paid to customers on Dec. 31, 1907, on condition that for the remainder of the year 1906 and the entire year of 1907 they shall have purchased exclusively from the Corn Products Refining company all the glucose and grape sugar required for use.

Interborough Rapid Transit.

The Interborough Rapid Transit company realized $6,776,643 from the sale of 48,000 shares Manhattan railway stock disposed of at auction. The high price was 143. J. & W. Seligman & Co. and Redmond & Co., with associates, bought a total of 38,000 shares, at an average of 141⅛.

Dividends Declared.

Directors of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western have declared an extra dividend of 10 per cent, which is usually declared at this time of the year, payable on Dec. 20. Books close on Dec. 5 and reopen on Dec. 20.

The International Paper company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock payable on Jan. 2. Books close on Dec. 15 and reopen on Jan. 2.

The Trethewey Silver Cobalt Mine, Limited, has declared a quarterly dividend of 4 per cent, payable on Dec. 20 to stock of record on Dec. 5. W. G. Trethewey and F. W. Strathy have retired from the board and M. Hay and S. A. Wickett have been elected in their stead and appointed president and vice president, respectively.

Railroad Earnings.

ROCK ISLAND-FRISCO.

The Rock Island report for October:		Increase.
Gross	$ 5,369,337	$ 556,122
Operating exp. and taxes	3,156,049	264,778
Net	1,883,268	261,844
From July 1 to Oct. 1—		
Gross	19,726,696	1,811,617
Operating exp. and taxes	12,092,587	773,127
Net	6,632,909	1,038,490
Prince Rees for October—includes Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad.		
Gross	4,338,726	518,797
Operating exp. and taxes	2,847,997	257,545
Net	1,490,759	261,4.4
From July 1—		
Gross	15,881,442	1,909,853
Operating exp. and taxes	10,380,336	1,084,666
Net	5,501,106	825,780
LEHIGH VALLEY.		
October, gross	3,177,149	145,889
Operating expenses	1,889,522	101,212
Other income	1,287,627	*15,325
Total income	111,567	54,196
Expenses and imprvmts.	1,209,184	38,827
Surplus	128,685	79,173
Net	1,270,499	*40,826
From July 1—		
Gross	12,609,704	1,120,672
Operating expenses	7,135,528	470,727
Other income	5,474,571	640,946
Total income	434,790	186,785
Expenses and imprvmts.	5,902,162	827,731
Surplus	703,392	344,404
	7,205,770	482,267
EVANSVILLE AND TERRE HAUTE.		
Including Evansville and Indianapolis—		
Gross, October	204,581	1,976
Operating expenses	109,212	2,690
Net	95,168	54
From July 1—		
Gross	808,879	31,467
Operating exp. and taxes	426,154	18,255
Net	382,725	13,080

*Decrease.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Tob.	1	370	370	370	370
Bonan Cons.	2,000	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
C. Copper	3,700	33¾	33¾	32⅝	32¾
Chances Cent	800	13⅛	13⅝	13	13
Cobalt Silver	400	29½	29½	29½	29⅝
Colonial Silver	3,100	56⅝	56⅝	54½	55⅝
Davis Daly	2,900	12⅜	12⅜	12⅛	12⅛
Dom. Copper, new	1,800	5	5	4¾	4¾
Electric Boat	100	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Do pfd	100	35	35	35	35
Ely	500	78	78	78	78
Foster Cobalt	925	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Furnace Creek	100	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
Giroux	100	10	10	10	10
Gold Hill	100	6⅛	6⅛	5¾	6
Granby	980	13¼	13⅝	13¼	13⅝
Gt. Bear, Ore w. i.	3,440	82	85½	82	83¼
Greene Cons	55,000	26½	26½	25	25½
Greene G. & S.	175	1¾	2	1¾	2
Hec. Pub	300	12⅜	12⅜	12	12
Hec. Yuk	100	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼
Kerr Lake	2,100	6⅞	7	6⅞	7
Kirk Edward	5,900	3½	3¾	3½	3⅝
Mackay Co.	100	73	73	73	73
Do pfd	3,000	69	80	68¾	69⅝
Mass. Ely	450	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Mine Co. of Am.	2,415	6⅝	6⅝	6¼	6⅜
Mitchell	4,500	2½	2½	2½	2½
McKinley	4,000	2½	2½	2½	2½
Nevada Smelt	3,200	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
Nevada Con	1,150	27	27½	26¾	27
Nipissing	5,900	10⅝	10⅝	10⅜	10⅝
Ohio Copper	5,670	15⅝	15⅝	15⅜	15⅝
Portland	28,000	69	69	67	67½
Quincy	900	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Rhode Island	28,100	2⅞	3	2⅞	2⅞
Stan. Cop	1,000	48¼	48¾	48	48⅜
Tonopah Ext	500	6¾	6¾	6¼	6¼
United Cop	2,977	78	81	74¼	78
Utah Cop	100	54	54	54	54

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Can	6	6¾
Do pfd	55	56
Am. Writing Paper	3	4
Do pfd	22	24
Bay State Gas	½	¾
Dominion Copper	¾	⅞
Electric Vehicle	10	16
Do pfd	12	19
Greene Gold	1⅜	1½
Havana Tobacco pfd	25	27
Montreal and Boston	⅛	5-16
N. Y. El. Veh. Trans.	5	5¾
Otis Elevator	51	55
Do pfd	96	98
Royal Bak. Powder pfd.	108	110
Safety Car H. & L. Co.	275	290
Standard Coupler	40	50
Do pfd	120	130
United Cop pfd	92½	96
Utah Apex	7	7½

Foreign Exchange.

The foreign exchange market was quiet, with several slight changes. Actual closing rates for bankers' sixty day sterling bills were 4.80¾@4.80⅝; demand, 4.83⅝@4.83⅞; cable transfers, 4.86⅜@4.86¾; commercial long, documents payment, 4.80¾@4.81¼; short marks, 94 11-16 plus 1-32@94⅝; sight francs, 5.20 plus 1-16@5.19⅞ less 1-32; guilders, 40 plus 5-64@40 1-16.

Following were the posted rates of the principal drawers of foreign exchange:

London	4.87
Berlin, reichsmarks	95
Paris, francs	5.18¾
Vienna crowns	20.30
Italian lire	5.19¾
Scandinavian krones	26.85

General Financial News.

Wall street has gossip to the effect that the 4 per cent dividend rate of Railway Steel Spring common is likely to be increased to 5 per cent.

The strength shown in Utah Consolidated is based on the expectation that the dividend to be declared next week will be at the rate of $3 a share.

Directors of the General Electric are scheduled to meet next week to take action on the dividend. While there has been talk of a possible increase, it is stated that only the usual rate of 2 per cent for the quarter will be declared.

The Norfolk and Western railway company has applied to the New York stock exchange to list $2,000,000 divisional first lien and general mortgage 4 per cent bonds of 1944.

The Bank of England yesterday purchased $950,000 gold bars and $110,000 American eagles in the open market, and received $1,000,000 gold from Paris.

Chicago Stocks.

There was some further activity in Union Traction issues; both common and preferred were firm. North Chicago sold at 40. Sears-Roebuck common was advanced to 59, while the preferred sold at 93½. Kansas City Railway and Light earnings for October were at the rate of 11⅜ per cent on the common stock.

The following were the sales on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday:

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	210	6¼	6⅜	6¼	6¼
Do pfd	150	56	56	56	56
Amer. Radiator	20	130	130	130	130
Amer. Shipb'ldg.	200	77⅜	77½	77⅛	77⅛
Chi. Pneu. Tool	93	50	50	50	50
Chi. Title & Trust	40	109½	109½	109½	109½
Chi. Un. Trac.	225	4⅜	5¼	4⅜	5¼
Do pfd	400	16⅜	17⅜	16⅜	17⅜
Din. Match	10	127½	127½	127½	127½
Kan. City Rys.	50	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾
Met. Elevated	25	27	27	27	27
Nat. Biscuit	135	74¾	75	74¾	75
Do pfd	74	117	117½	117	117½
Nat. Carbon	10	86	86	86	86
North Chicago	100	40	40	40	40
Quaker Oats	50	136	136	136	136
Do pfd	15	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
S. S. Elevated	5	90	90	90	90
Sears-Roebuck	100	59	59	59	59
Do pfd	42	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾
Street's Stab. Car	100	35	35	35	35
Swift & Co.	200	111	111¼	111	111¼
United Boxboard	1,085	1	1	1	1
Do pfd	1,730	8¼	8¼	6⅞	7
West Chicago	181	30	32¼	30	32

BONDS.

$1000 Cass Av 5s	101⅜	$ 5000 Met El ex 4s	83½
1000 Ch Pneu T 5s	81½	5000 W C con 5s	72⅝
5000 do	81½	12000 do 1st mort 5s	90

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 28.—[Special.]—Most of the coppers were strong today. Allouez went to 40½, a new high record. Rhode Island, Franklin, Utah, Copper Range, and Tamarack were in demand at advancing prices. Call loans, 6 per cent; time loans, collateral, 6 and 7 per cent; time loans, mercantile paper, 6@6½ per cent; clearing house loans, 6 per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adventure	1,395	5	5	4¾	4 15-16
Allouez	3,073	40¼	40½	40	40⅜
Amal.	2,485	118	118¾	112½	112½
Am. Zinc	190	31	32	31	32
Arcadian	4,450	12	15¾	11¾	13⅜
Arnold	100	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
Atlantic	20	15	15	15	15
Bingham	1,670	82	83	82	82½
Boston Con.	1,645	32¾	33¼	32⅜	32⅝
Butte Coal	500	36¼	36¾	36¼	36¼
Calumet & Ariz.	660	163	165½	163	162¼
Centennial	1,635	38	38¾	38	38
Con. Mercur	150	53	53	51	51
Copper Range	2,225	83¾	84	83½	83¾
Daly West	223	20	21	20	21
Franklin	3,320	22½	23¾	22¼	23
Greene	2,020	26½	26¾	26	26½
Isle Royale	855	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼
Mass. Min.	30	8	8	8	8
Mayflower	250	90	90	90	90
Mex. Cons.	710	14½	14½	14½	14½
Michigan	1,910	17½	18¼	17½	18¼
Mohawk	1,200	74¼	75	74	74
Mont. Coke	200	2	2	1¾	1¾
Nevada	1,460	19¾	19¾	19	19
North Butte	687	112	112	111⅝	112
Old Dom.	800	57¾	57¾	56¾	57
Osceola	900	137	137	136	136½
Parrott	5,353	28¼	30⅜	28¼	29⅝
Quincy	755	105	107½	105	107½
Rhode Island	6,940	7¼	7⅝	7	7⅜
Santa Fé	1,920	4¾	5	4¾	4¾
Shannon	3,392	18⅝	18¾	18⅝	18¾
Tamarack	768	108	110½	105	110
Tecumseh	95	17¾	17¾	17¼	17¼
Trinity	320	11¾	11¾	11¼	11¾
United Cop	500	75⅜	75⅜	75⅜	75⅜
U. S. Smelt	419	62	62¾	62	62¼
Do pfd	1,370	46	46	45½	46
Utah Cop	2,505	68¾	69	68¾	69
Victoria	132	7	7	6¾	7
Winona	25	10¾	11	10¾	11
Wolverine	35	161	161	161	161
Wyandotte	20	2	2	2	2
Am. Pneu.	225	13½	13½	13¼	13⅛
Do pfd.	150	30¾	31½	30	30
Am. Tel.	670	136¾	137	136¼	136½
Mass. Gas	795	86¾	86¾	85½	85½
Do pfd	226	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾
Merg.	1	205	205	205	205
Mex. Tel.	313	4⅜	4 15-16	4⅜	4 15-16
N. E. Tel.	13	129	125	125	125
Reece	10	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Seattle	21	95	97	95	95
Swift	3	111	111	111	111
United Shoe	624	70¼	70½	70	70¼
Do pfd	804	29¾	29¾	29	29
U. S. Oil	200	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
United Fruit	234	108¼	108¼	108	108
West. Tel.	5	9	9	9	9
Do pfd	30	80	80	80	80
Boston & A.	6	242½	242½	242½	242½
Boston El.	10	150	150	150	150
Boston & M.	10	162	162	162	162
Boston & P.	1	301	301	301	301
Boston & W.	100	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Fitchburg pfd.	19	135	135	135	135
Mass. Elec.	60	19	19	19	19
Do pfd	15	69½	69¼	69½	69½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	105	183	183	182½	182½
West End St.	5	94	94	94	94
Do pfd	1	110	110	110	110

DOMESTIC PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Wheat—Receipts, 169,000 bu; exports, 116,081; No. 2 red, 79¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 81¼c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 83¾c c. i. f. Buffalo; No. 2 hard winter, 77¾c, c. i. f. Buffalo. May, 84 1-16@84 7-16c, closed 84¼c; July, 84¼@84 5-16c, closed 84¼c; December, 80¾@81c, closed 80¾c. Corn—Receipts, 89,775 bu; exports, 35,216 bu; No. 2, 54c, elevator, and 58c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 54c; No. 2 white, 54½c; January, 51½c; May, 51¼@51½c, closed 51¼c; December, 52@53¾c, closed 53c. Oats—Receipts, 183,700 bu; mixed, 29@32 lbs, 33c; natural white, 30@33 lbs, 33@35c; clipped white, 36@40 lbs, 38@43½c.

Cotton seed oil—Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 30c; yellow, 42c.

Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3 5-16@3 11-32c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 27-32c; molasses, 3 1-16@3 5-32c; refined quiet.

Quotations on Coffee.

Coffee—Spot rio, nominal. No. 7 invoice, 7¾c. Mild steady. Futures closed at a net decline of 5@10 points. Sales, 66,000 bags. Quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
December	5.75	5.80	5.75	5.75	5.75
January	5.85	5.90	5.85	5.85	5.85
March	6.05	6.10	6.05	6.05	6.05
May	6.20	6.25	6.20	6.20	6.20
July	6.35	6.40	6.35	6.35	6.35

Quotations on Cotton.

Cotton—Spot closed steady; middling uplands, 11.40c; middling gulf, 11.65c. Sales, 616 bales. Futures closed steady. Quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
December	10.27	10.33	10.18	10.32	10.25
January	10.40	10.43	10.30	10.42	10.38
March	10.60	10.61	10.49	10.61	10.56
May	10.70	10.72	10.60	10.72	10.66
July	10.77	10.77	10.69	10.77	10.73

Cotton in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 28.—Cotton—Middling fair, 6.71d; good middling, 6.37d; middling, 6.13d. Sales, 8,000 bales, including 5,300 American. Futures closed steady. American middling, g. o. c., November, 5.95d; November and December, 5.93d; December and January, 5.76d; January and February, 5.75d; February and March, 5.76d; March and April, 5.76½d; April and May, 5.78½d; May and June, 5.80½d; June and July, 5.81½d; July and August, 5.83½d; August and September, 5.74½d; September and October, 5.67d; October and November, 5.49d.

Western Grain Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 28.—Wheat—December, 67c; May, 72⅝c; July, 71⅝c; cash No. 2 hard, 71@72¼c; No. 3, 69@72c; No. 2 red, 73¼@72½c; No. 3, 67@71¼c. Corn—December, 31⅝c; May, 39c; July, 39⅝c; cash No. 2 mixed, 35¼c; No. 3, 35c; No. 2 white, 39½c; No. 3, 39¼c. Oats—No. 2 white, 33c; No. 3 mixed, 32¼@32½c.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 28.—Wheat—Track, No. 2 red, cash, 75@76c; No. 2 hard, 72¼@75c; December, 73⅝@73½c; May, 77⅝c. Corn—Track, No. 2 cash, new, 42¼c, old 43¾c; No. 2 white, old, 45@45¼c, new 42¼@42¾c; December, 40¾c; May, 41⅞@42c. Oats—Track, No. 2 cash, 35⅝c; No. 2 white, 34½c; December, 32¾c; May, 34½c. Lead—$5.87½. Spelter—$6.35.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 28.—Wheat—December, 77¾@77¼c; May, 79¾c; cash, on track, No. 1 hard, 82¾c; No. 1 northern, 81¾c; to arrive, 79¾c; No. 2 northern, 79½c; to arrive, 77¾c; No. 3, 76¼@77¼c; No. 1 durum, 68¾c; to arrive, 62¾c; No. 2, 66¾c; to arrive, 59¾c. Flour—Unchanged. Flax—$1.17¾. Bran—In bulk, $17.00.

DULUTH, Minn., Nov. 28.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, on track, 79½c; to arrive, No. 1 northern, 79c; No. 2 northern, 77½c; on track, No. 1 northern, 79c; No. 2 northern, 77½c; December, 77½c; May, 79¾c; July, 80¼c; November durum, 72½c; December, 64c; May, 66c. Flax—To arrive, $1.18¾; in store, $1.25¾. Oats—To arrive, 32c. Rye—61c. Barley—59@40c.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 28.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 81@82c; No. 2 northern, 77@81c; May, 78@78½c bid. Rye—No. 1, 69@69½c. Barley—No. 2, 55½c; sample, 49@55c. Oats—Standard, 34½@35c. Corn—No. 3, old, 46½c; May, 43¾c bid.

PEORIA, Ill., Nov. 28.—Corn—No. 3 yellow and No. 3, 41¼c; No. 4, 40c; no grade, 39c. Oats—No. 2 white, 34½c; No. 3 white, 33¾c; No. 4 white, 32¾@33c. Rye—No. 2, 67@69c. Whisky—On the basis of $1.29 for finished goods.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 28.—Clover seed—Cash, November, and December, $8.25; March, $8.42½. Alsike—$7.90. Timothy—$2.00.

Foreign Produce Market.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 28.—Wheat—Spot Steady; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 11½d. Futures firm; December, 6s 8¾d; March, 6s 5¾d; May, 6s 5¼d. Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, 4s 4¼d. Futures firm; December, 4s 4½d; January, 4s 1¾d.

Naval Stores.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 28.—Turpentine and resin—Nothing doing.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 28.—Spirits turpentine—65¾c. Resin—$1.65 bid. Tar—$2.20. Crude turpentine—$3.35, $4.50, and $4.50.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 28.—Turpentine—66½@66¾c. Resin—A B C D, $3.85; E, $3.85@3.90; F, $3.85@3.95; G, $3.95@4.00; H, $4.10@4.15; I, $4.35; K, $5.00; M, $5.30; N, $6.25; WG, $6.50; WW, $6.90.

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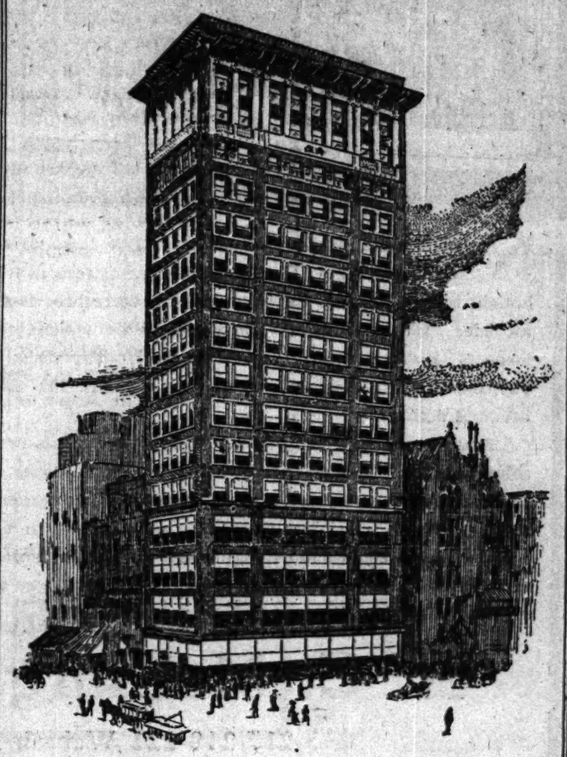
$120 originally invested in the Foster is now worth	$555
$120 originally invested in the Nipissing is now worth	$900
$120 originally invested in the McKinley-Darragh is now worth	$500
$120 originally invested in the Temiskaming and Hudson Bay is now worth	$13,200

Mentor Building

Northeast Corner
State and Monroe Streets



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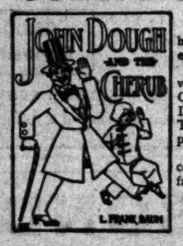

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rado, and Wyoming
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LAND OFFICE UNDER

Senators Warren and Cla
cused Only of Exerting
litical Influence to D
lay Investigation.

BY RAYMOND.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—[Sp
There will be plenty of time between
March 4, when he retires from the
department, for Secretary Hitchcock'
a flood of light upon the operation
corrupt ring which has been steal
lands in Wyoming and other weste
from the government in the interes
various railroad corporations.
The facts developed by the interst
merce commission and by the inve
which has been going on here under
sonal supervision of Secretary H
have established the existence of th
beyond a shadow of a doubt.
rods employed "dummies" to ent
lands, and one question before the
ment now is to fix the responsibility.
It is manifest that these frauds c
have been committed in this particu
without collusion on the part of
string of government officials.
The present indications are that t
originally developed in Wyoming,
and Utah lead more or less direc
the general land office in Washingto
Binger Hermann of Oregon, now a
of congress from that state, is to
next month for acts he is alleged
committed as commissioner genera
land office. He resigned from the
and his alleged malfeasances were d
afterwards, and, in fact, after he wa
congressman.

Richards Asked to Expla

Commissioner Hermann was succ
charge of the general land office b
Richards. He received his appo
through the influence of Senator W
whose state Mr. Richards was credit
present commissioner sent in his
tion some time ago, but since then
been called upon for a report in re
certain gross irregularities in th
Until that report is approved it m
matter of uncertainty whether the
ance of his resignation may not be
and Mr. Richards forced to appea
the secretary of the interior to an
the charge of interfering with the
conduct of public business.
The secretary of the interior is
that the entire matter should be cle
before Mr. Richards retires from
department, and this seems to be m
essary because there are no criminal
against him whatsoever, but there are
allegations that he has allowed pers
fluences to interfere with the proper
of his bureau, and that he has pa
attention to the personal influence of
Warren than to the positive orders
secretary of the interior himself.

Frauds Beyond Question.

There is, of course, no question a
extent of the frauds and the crimin
the men who perpetrated them upon t
ernment. In the affidavit made by
Agent Myendorff and the testimo
mitted by him to the interstate co
commission at Salt Lake yesterday
alleged specifically that Senator Warr
to induce him to drop the investigatio
Union Pacific and its connection w
coal land frauds. It also was asser
the general land office in Washington
years refused to listen to his repor
pered him in every way possible, and
had transferred him.
The witness went on to say that
Warren had copies of his confidential
to the secretary of the interior and h
these in an effort to compel him to
investigations so as not to interfere w
reelection of Senator Clark.
It was also alleged that George F.
chief of one of the bureaus of the
department, advised him to destroy
affidavits which he had obtained aga
Union Pacific railway company.

Pollock Denies Charges.

Senators Warren and Clark are bo
from Washington. The commission
eral of the land office declined to
body at all in regard to these charges
still at work on the report which Se
Hitchcock demanded of him some t
Chief Clerk Pollock said emphatica
he never saw and never was infor
any affidavits from Mr. Myendorff
body else which did not in regular
become and remain a part of the re
his office. He says emphatically that
never in any way aided or countenan
failure to prosecute the land frauds
ming or any other state.
The inclusion of Mr. Pollock in the
made at Salt Lake City is particula
portant because he was being pre
successor to Commissioner Richard
publication of these charges, of cour
prevent his consideration for that p
the president. He was urged by Mr
ards himself and by Senator Warre
understood.

Peculiar Wyoming Influen

For a long time Wyoming seemed
had a peculiar hold upon the operat
the land office, and the revelations
Lake, even if nothing more develops,
least, break up this combination, st
it is, and well intrenched from a p
point of view. Representative Mon
Wyoming was formerly an assistant c
sioner of the general land office. He
chairman of the irrigation committee
house and occupies second place on t
ile lands committee, in both of whic
tions he has a great deal to do with t
eral land office and with the allotm
public lands, not only in Wyoming
all the western states.
Senator Warren is the leading me
the upper house of congress of the irr
committee, while his colleague,
Clark, is the third member on the
lands committee in the senate, and is
member on the railroad committee
same body.
The railroad which has been steali
lands from the government is the
Pacific. It organized what it cal
Union Pacific Coal company, appare
no other purpose, and it was that c
which hired the "dummies" to en

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